

Being a column in which the publisher just "blows off the steam."

Some give it; some lend it. Some keep it; some spend it. Some spurn it; some crave it. Some waste it; some save it. Some scorn it; some choose it. Some find it; some lose it. Some hide it; some store it. Some loathe it; I'm for it!

WE MISSED another try at getting into the movies several days ago! We couldn't even get into a mob scene, so we have about concluded that we are stuck with this job of printing a country newspaper!

During the holidays the good woman and I drove down into a new part of Texas—new for us. Taking off from the Lazy J Ranch (named after that woman) we hied our car from Laguna southwest to Bracketville through a beautiful, rolling ranch country that surprised us with its fine grass and occasional palm trees. At Bracketville we visited the famous Fort Clark, where a movie was being completed about the early days of that section of the country.

And they wouldn't let us play the part we wanted, so we just told them to take their old picture!

However, we recall that several weeks ago one of the women stars may have asked for a certain part or something like that, and now she is pushing up daisies. Oh, well . . . pictures aren't everything, you know.

Fort Clark, which nearly a century ago was one of the largest Army installations in this part of the country, is an immense thing. We were surprised. Some 25 to 30 well built stone buildings make up the fort, which is still in a fine state of preservation. The buildings are built around a huge parade grounds that has been turned into a verdant golf course. Restored to their original appearance, a rancher of that area has now converted the fort into a tourist ranch that is inviting to tourists making that territory.

Modern air conditioners have been added, the buildings renovated, a beautiful dining room equipped—and all modern conveniences in the installation now would make the old commanding officers and men pink with pride, if they see it now.

Incidentally, sometime when you other folks are in that region, it's worth a trip to Bracketville.

We drove on down to Eagle Pass and went over into Old Mexico at Piedras Negras. Our second trip to the latter city made us humble and grateful for our great land of opportunity and accomplishment. Mexico is enchanting and novel, but the many signs of poverty and dejection and ignorance made us thankful we are who we are.

PHILOSOPHY of several decades ago apparently still is true concerning civic progress. In scanning old files of The Hamlin Herald of 1920 recently, we noticed an item that said the people who kill a town are:

Those who oppose improvements. Those who run it down to strangers. Those who never advertise their business. Those who distrust public spirited men. Those who hate to see others make money. Those who put on an extra long face when a stranger talks of locating in their town. Those who oppose every public enterprise that does not appear to be of personal benefit to themselves.

The Country Parson



**PURCHASED TRUJILLO RANCH**—F. O. Masten (left), a one-time farm hand who worked for \$20 a month and board, became one of the largest individual land-holders in Texas last week. Here Masten and his attorney, Paul Spillman of Wellington, go over papers pertaining to purchase of the Trujillo Ranch of the famed Matador spread. Masten's arm rests on the 1,180-page abstract.

## Heart Fund Drive Underway in Region

A symbol of the season—like the red ball flying over the skating rink—is back on the counters of Hamlin's stores today. It is the heart-shaped, red plastic coin box which is a sign that Heart Month is here.

The coin boxes were distributed by Heart Fund volunteers this week to the bank, department

### No Names Filed for Spots on City Ticket

With only 18 days remaining in which to file names for places on the City of Hamlin ballot for this year, no candidates were on the scene at mid-week.

A mayor and three members of the City Council are to be elected in the April 5 election. Filing time closes Saturday noon, March 5, reminds Mrs. H. M. Barrow, city secretary.

Terms of Mayor L. H. McBride and Councilmen James Josey, Joe Hudspeth and Max Murrell expire. Murrell asked The Herald to say that he would not seek reelection. The others, serving their first terms, have not indicated their intentions.

## Bill Pritchard, HHS Graduate, Named Outstanding Area Farmer by Jaycees

Bill Pritchard, young farmer of the Tuxedo community east of Hamlin, was named last week by the Stamford Junior Chamber of Commerce to receive the award for outstanding young farmer of the area.

Pritchard, the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Pritchard, is a graduate of Hamlin High School and was a leader in Future Farmers of America while attending the local high school.

Selection of Pritchard for the honor was announced by Gilbert Brandenberger, who headed a committee to make the selection.

Pritchard's selection was based on several points, including degree of progress in agricultural career; his farm crop compared with when

stores, auto service stations, restaurants, drug stores, transportation depots, professional offices and headquarters of civil and fraternal groups.

They will remain on display all through February 29, according to Wesley M. Nail, Heart Fund chairman for Hamlin community, to help collect gifts in the annual drive which supports the research, education and community service program of the Heart Association.

Jones County Heart Association, sponsor of the drive here, is an affiliate of the American Heart Association.

The coin collectors are mounted on colorful Heart Fund easel cards imprinted with the slogan, "Give—Fight Heart Disease." More collection boxes have been distributed this year than ever before to help meet the increased Heart Fund goal.

The Heart Fund drive will reach its peak on Heart Sunday, February 28, when an array of local volunteers will canvass the residential areas of town collecting family contributions from door to door.

he started; the extent of good soil and natural resource conservation to community, state and nation.

He will be honored by the Stamford Jaycees next Tuesday, and from there will go to Bryan on February 18 to compete for state honors. The winner at state will advance to national competition.

Pritchard started his farming in 1948 with the operation of a 100-acre farm. His operations have been expanded to his present 897 acres. Mr. and Mrs. Pritchard have two children, Greg and Kathie. Mrs. Pritchard is the former Jo Anne French, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Karol French. They are members of the Tuxedo Baptist Church.

An educational tour through Texas A. & M. College will be awarded Pritchard and his wife by the Jaycees, at which place he will compete for Outstanding Young Farmer for the state of Texas. He will be awarded a plaque locally.

### Plans Being Made for Public Schools Week

Already plans are being made for the observance early next month of Public Schools Week in the Hamlin district are underway.

This year's observance will be from February 28 through March 5, Cook said. All schools will be open all week for visitors, and special programs are planned at the grade schools on Tuesday, March 1, and at Hamlin High School on Thursday, March 3.

# Best Prospects in Years Promised by Small Grains

## Cotton Farmers May Have Fields Pre-Measured Now

Any farmer who wishes to have his fields measured officially in advance of spring planting of cotton to assure compliance with acreage allotments should apply as soon as possible to his county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office, Chairman R. G. Rowell announced from Anson today.

Under the pre-measurement program, regular ASC performance reporters measure the fields. The pre-measured acreages will be accepted as official for all ASC purposes provided no obvious error is made and provided the fields are planted as measured. A later trip to the farm will be made to determine that these requirements have been met.

Purpose of the pre-measurement, Rowell said, is to help the farmer guard against either over-planting or under-planting his cotton allotment. Over-planting, either by inaccurate measurement by the farmer or through incorrect information about the size of permanent fields, can often cause unnecessary expense for insect poison, seed and soil treatment. Under-planting can cause loss of farm income.

Requests for pre-measurement should reach the county office not later than March 16, Rowell said. At the time of application, the farmer will be asked to deposit sufficient funds to cover cost of the work.

## Contracts of School System's Key Faculty Members Renewed

Contracts of key members of the faculties of Hamlin schools were renewed at the regular meeting of the board of education of Hamlin Independent School District Monday evening.

Superintendent of Schools C. F. Cook was given a three-year contract renewal. Principals B. V. Newberry of the high school, Marvin D. Carlton of junior high, Odean Murphree of elementary and Mrs. Fred Smith of primary school were given two-year renewals. The principals in previous years have only been hired for one year at a time.

Contract of J. L. Starr, DePriest Colored School principal, who is serving his first year, was renewed for one year.

D. C. Andrews, head football coach, and T. C. Blankenship, vocational agriculture instructor in high school, were given two-year contracts.



**ANNOUNCE CHANGE IN AUTO INSURANCE PLAN**—Willis McVey, Angus McDonald and H. L. Begeman (left to right) from the State Board of Insurance office, talk with newsmen in the capitol press room in Austin. They distributed a press release announcing several minor changes in the controversial month-old auto insurance rating plan. The newsmen (left to right) are: Joe Benham of the Associated Press, Jon Ford of The San Antonio News-Express, and Ken Towry of Newspapers, Inc.

# Tuesday Breakfast to Kick Off BCD Membership Drive

## Hamlin-for-Christ Day Set for Feb. 28 By Misister Group

February 28 has been set for the 1960 observance of Hamlin-for-Christ Day, according to leaders of the Hamlin Ministerial Alliance, which has sponsored the special church attendance emphasis in the community for the past several years.

The special day is designated as an occasion to stress the importance of church attendance by people generally.

Working on plans for the special day in the community are the following members of the Hamlin Ministerial Alliance: Rev. Edmund W. Robb, pastor of the First Methodist Church, alliance president; Rev. Royce Campbell, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, treasurer; Rev. R. T. Jarrell, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, in charge of advertising; Rev. Lenard Hartley, pastor of the First Baptist Church, in charge of club advertisement; Rev. Don McCamish, pastor of the Foursquare Gospel Church, and Rev. J. L. Johnson, pastor of the Oak Grove Baptist Church, in charge of literature distribution.



**LEUKEMIA VICTIM**—Ann Carol Helms, four (above), the daughter of an Abilene couple, Mr. and Mrs. Don Helms, is suffering from acute leukemia and undergoing weekly treatments at a Dallas research institute. A fund to pay medical expenses was announced by the Abilene Altruism Club. Ann Carol's weight has dropped from 49 to 36 pounds since she developed the dread blood cancer.

## Plans for Drive to Be Mapped This Eve by Committee

Membership committee of the Board of Community Development will map plans for a "do or die" membership campaign at a special meeting in the BCD office this (Thursday) evening at 7:30, according to Fred B. Moore Jr., chairman.

Members of the committee will select workers and organize a plan of action to contact prospects. Every member is urged to attend this vital meeting.

A "kick-off" breakfast will be held at the old mill guest house Tuesday morning, February 16, to launch the all-out campaign, declared Moore.

Following renewed interest that was created by the recent annual BCD banquet, the campaign to raise the budget for the civic unit is expected to roll off smoothly, said the chairman.

Moore last week pinpointed the all-important objective for Hamlin to cooperate now for future defense of our local markets and working together for continued growth of the community—or resignation to a receding community at the hands of larger cities and more progressive community action.

Readers of The Herald are especially cited to the page ad in today's edition of Your Home Town Paper entitled "Hamlin Is Your Baby," which is being paid for by public spirited citizens.

## New Building Due to Get Underway Soon By Calvary Baptists

Construction work on a new sanctuary and educational building for the Calvary Baptist Church is scheduled to get underway within a few days, according to Rev. Royce Campbell, pastor of the congregation.

Sale of the church property on South Central Avenue, which has been the meeting place for the congregation for many years, was announced several days ago.

Site for the new structures on Northwest Avenue G was purchased by the congregation several years ago.

The new auditorium, which will be of frame construction with brick veneer, will seat more than 200, Rev. Campbell declares. The educational building will provide space for approximately 250.

## Luscious Grazing Offered by Green Fields for Stock

Best prospects for a bumper grain crop in the Hamlin territory for this season of the year in the history of the region, declare veteran grain farmers and buyers, when queried by a Herald representative middle of the week.

They point out that following a slow start right after planting early last fall, when much of the small grains were suffering from lack of starting moisture—and even thousands of acres had begun to yellow because of inadequate rain and dry cold spells—the grain has now come out green and booming after good rains of the past several weeks. Warmer weather also has been a wonderful boosting agent to the growing grains.

Sufficient moisture is now in the ground to carry the promising wheat and oats for several weeks.

The grain fields have provided a lot of good grazing for cattle and other livestock recently. Even stock has been brought in from other sections of the country to take advantage of the fine pasturage afforded by the green grain. Livestock will continue to be run on most fields until about March 15, livestock men say.

Grain buyers of the community estimate that there are roughly about 25,000 acres seeded to wheat in the territory; 10,000 planted to oats; and 5,000 acres to barley.

## Two of Big Missile Launching Sites In Jones County

Two of the nine underground missile firing sites of the Dyess Air Force Base missile squadron headquarters recently located in the area will be located in Jones County. It was announced last week. One will be about 10 miles southeast of Hamlin near the Corinth Baptist Church and the other southwest of Anson.

First bids for the Atlas intercontinental ballistic missile sites were to be opened in Fort Worth yesterday (Wednesday). Bids for propellant loading systems for the missile operational and test facilities will be opened February 16.

The \$47,000,000 construction job is scheduled to start about June 1 and be completed within 14 to 18 months.

The Corps of Engineers will set up a construction headquarters in Abilene early in April to supervise construction of the missile base.

When completed the installation will be valued at \$140,000,000. It is expected to be operational by early 1962. Manned by a complement of 700 personnel, it will be under command of the 819th Air Division at Dyess Air Force Base and will have nine underground missile firing sites located within a 35-mile radius of Abilene.

World progress would move faster if people would talk less and work harder.



Two new citizens have been recorded at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald. A boy and a girl, they are:

A boy for Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Forbes Jr. of Roby arrived February 11. Weighing eight pounds nine ounces, he has been named Michael Scott.

A girl for Mr. and Mrs. Des Waggoner was born February 5. The little miss weighed seven pounds eight ounces, and accepted Sharon Jean for a name.

## Tuesday Is Final Date to File New Grower Request

February 16 is the final date for farmers to make application for a new grower cotton or peanut allotment, announced R. G. Rowell, chairman of the Jones County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, this week.

In order to be eligible for a new grower cotton allotment, neither the owner nor the operator of the farm for which the allotment is requested may have any interest in another farm for which a cotton allotment is established, and the farm operator must be largely dependent on the farm for which the allotment is requested for his livelihood.

Eligibility requirements for a new grower peanut allotment are the same as those for cotton except the applicant must also have grown more than one acre of peanuts for harvest in at least two of the past five years.

Applications for new grower cotton or peanut allotments may be filed on a prescribed form at the local ASC office in Anson on or before February 16.



**FLU OUTBREAK ON THE WANE**—State Health Commissioner J. E. Peavy said in Austin that the beginning of the end of the current influenza outbreak may be in sight. Dr. J. V. Irons, director of laboratories at the State Department of Health in Austin, prepares to check a specimen of throat washing to determine the type of virus infection present. Dr. Irons' secretary, Mrs. Violet Gardner (left) takes notes.



## County Fails to Reach Savings Bond Goal for 1950

Texas savings bonds sales in December were the greatest since March of last year, according to A. C. Humphrey, chairman of Jones County's bond committee. December savings bonds purchases in Texas were \$13,482,290, an increase of \$2,000,000 over the previous month.

"Sales in Jones County totaled \$435,195 during 1950. This represented 89.4 per cent of our goal of \$487,000. Sales in the state for the year amounted to \$152,937,812 or 83.8 per cent of the state's 1950 goal," Humphrey reported.

"This sales record may be attributed to the recent increase in interest of Series E and H savings bonds and to the efforts of the hundreds of bond volunteers serving on the state and local bond committees," Humphrey pointed out.

Last fall the U. S. Treasury Department raised the interest rate on all E and H savings bonds. All savings bonds purchased since June 1, 1950, earn an attractive 3 1/2 per cent and all old bonds earn at least one-half per cent more when held to maturity.

Only two counties in the nine-county District 13 of Central West Texas exceeded their 1950 bond purchase goals last year. Jones County ranked fourth in the district in per cent of goal achieved.

The table below shows the sales by counties for the year and the percentages of goals achieved for last year:

County—	Year's Sales	% of Goal
Callahan .....	\$ 208,947	97.6
Eastland .....	558,006	102.4
Fisher .....	72,491	8.53
Haskell .....	257,947	89.4
Jones .....	435,195	89.4
Nolan .....	363,615	88.5
Shackelford .....	153,480	65.0
Stephens .....	259,061	57.3
Taylor .....	1,486,629	105.2

District 13.....\$3,795,374 91.1

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February 28



SENATOR LYNDON B. JOHNSON of Texas adds his contribution to the 1950 New March of Dimes in Washington, with Mary Beth Pyron, two-year-old national poster girl for the campaign, at his side. Mary Beth was born with birth defects. New March of Dimes funds are battling not only birth defects but also polio and arthritis.

## Farmers of Texas Pay Big Price Last Year to Diseases Cutting Cotton Yield

Hamlin area farmers paid a big price last year to diseases of the cotton crop, along with those of many other sections of the state, according to specialists of the Extension Service of Texas A. & M. College.

Diseases took a \$147,000,000 bite out of the 1950 Texas cotton crop, report 15 cotton specialists located throughout the state. "Cotton diseases kept at least 879,000 bales of cotton from being marketed," said Harlan Smith, extension plant pathologist, who compiled the information for the Cotton Disease Council.

Beside the \$147,000,000 cash loss to producers there were losses of business to farm labor, railroads, trucking companies, suppliers, compress companies, storage facilities and other phases of the industry. Diseases also were a major factor in grade reduction as well as a limiting factor in yields.

This loss occurred even though 1950 growing conditions were generally good as near record yields were harvested in many areas, Smith said.

Major diseases and estimated loss due to their effect on yield were: Bacterial blight, 5.91 per

cent; root rot, 4.3 per cent; verticillium wilt, 1.85 per cent; seedling diseases, 1.75 per cent; and root knot, .50 per cent. Other diseases causing losses were boll rot, fusarium wilt and ascochyta blight.

These average figures do not give the true picture because in areas where diseases struck the hardest losses ran into ruinous figures, pointed out Smith. For example, root rot was estimated to have caused a 25 per cent loss in the Central Blackland area. The amount of root rot increased in many areas compared to 1950 losses. Ascochyta blight, a minor disease in past years, was a problem in several areas for the first time. Root knot, caused by nematodes, appears to be on the increase.

Coffee or other stimulants will not offset the effects of alcohol. Only time can eliminate alcohol from the blood stream.

On offensive spirit can be a dangerous affair unless you are prepared properly.

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## Safety Man Urges Caution by Youths With Blasting Caps

J. O. Musick, general manager of the Texas Safety Association, issued a warning today against blasting caps which each year blind or maim many youngsters in the United States.

These caps, which are used to detonate charges of dynamite, may appear to a boy or girl to be harmless, but "in the hands of an inexperienced person they are extremely dangerous," the safety expert said.

In a statement directed to both adults and boys and girls, Musick warned: "Anyone finding a cap should not touch it, but should immediately report it to the police or some other law enforcement officer." These officers know how to dispose of them without harm to anyone.

Some boys and girls do not know a blasting cap when they see one. Others know the caps will explode but are unaware of the grave danger involved. The detonation of a blasting cap sends pieces of metal flying out in all directions with the speed of a rifle bullet. These metal fragments can injure or blind a person even at a distance of 200 feet or more.

Blasting caps are copper or aluminum cylinders about as big around as a lead pencil and from one to six inches long. There are two kinds of caps. The "ordinary cap" is exploded by a burning fuse inserted in the open end. The other kind is an electric blasting cap. It has wires coming out one end. When electric current is applied to the wires the cap explodes. Blasting caps are used in mining, quarrying and construction work, land clearing, oil prospecting, pipeline laying and many other necessary jobs in industry and agriculture.

Skilled blasters who work with caps handle them with as much care as they use with dynamite. Some boys and girls, however, think of them as fascinating toys.

Blasting caps sometimes are lost or stolen. Youngsters find them and think it would be fun to hit them with a stone or pick at it with a nail or knife. This is almost sure to explode the sensitive charge in the cap.

Musick says the only safe advice for a boy or girl is, "Don't touch blasting caps!"

## Camp Fire Girls Plant Trees at Hut In Town Project

Hamlin Camp Fire Girls join the community-wide effort to beautify Hamlin by planting trees and shrubs on the Camp Fire hut grounds on Southwest Avenue E. Saturday.

In addition to beautifying the town, the girls added some \$174 to the March of Dimes campaign last Saturday by selling balloons in town all day. Marvin Carlton, MOD chairman, said Boy Scouts provided air for the balloons and the girls sold them.

Hamlin's beautification program started with the civic affairs committee of the Board of Community Development late last year. The committee urged an all-out effort to make Hamlin more attractive and improve the appearance of its business district.

Melvin Scott, 1950 committee chairman, said a city-wide clean-up program would get underway in early spring. Already many business firms are remodeling their store fronts and some are remodeling interiors.

Camp Fire Girls recently have painted on the outside, and plans are underway to paint the inside.

City officials reported good progress in the downtown section and more paving to continue as soon as weather permit.

Hamlin is getting another large storage tank for water and new lines and improvements, the city leaders reported, with work to start as soon as final contract is let some time this month.

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## Congressman Burleson Says Missile Bases in Area to Be Key to U.S. Defense

At exactly 1:00 o'clock on Tuesday of last week, January 26, Senator Lyndon Johnson and I were able to announce the selection of Dyess Air Force Base as the center for a complex of Atlas intercontinental ballistic missiles, declares Congressman Omar Burleson in his weekly news release to The Herald from Washington. His release continues:

Although Senator Johnson and I had been aware for a considerable period of time that the only missile base in Texas was to be located at Dyess, the information was highly confidential and we could not discuss it.

As the great scientific advances take place, manned bombers will eventually be obsolete in an all-out war. The installation of the Atlas ICBM assures the continuation of Dyess Air Force Base for years in the future. Regardless of scientific advances, the manned bomber such as is operated by the Strategic Air Command from Dyess Air Force Base will remain important and indispensable for several years. Even as our nation becomes strong in missile development, the manned bomber will remain as an essential part of our defense because of so-called "limited wars."

No scientific gadget will ever entirely take the place of the human bomber pilot. The missile complex for Dyess Air Force Base in Abilene will be composed of nine launching sites, located in a semi-circle approximately 20 to 35 miles distance from the base. Each site will occupy approximately three to four acres of land. The exact location of the launching sites depends a great deal on the condition of the soil, since great shafts and underground installation is required to accommodate the huge 82 1/2-foot

are tested only this missile base located in almost the center of the 17th Congressional District will be operational; and should a nuclear war be launched against our nation the Atlas missile would be launched within a matter of minutes against the enemy. As has already been reported in the past, the Atlas missile is capable of traveling 6,000 miles at a speed in excess of 1,000 miles per hour. In other words, it can carry a nuclear warhead from Abilene, Texas, to Moscow, in the heart of Russia, traveling northward over the Polar regions. In the near future we shall see many things strange to us. In the vicinity of the launching sites there will be a tight security. We will wonder what

is going on inside but of this we can be sure. The men who will be constantly on duty will be watching over the destiny of our country. At the instant of warning of an attack, calculated to be a 15-minute period, they will be ready to unleash the most powerful weapon in the arsenal of America.

Dyess Air Force Base at the present time is valued at about \$350,000,000. The missile facilities, when finally operational, will add approximately another \$140,000,000 to \$150,000,000.

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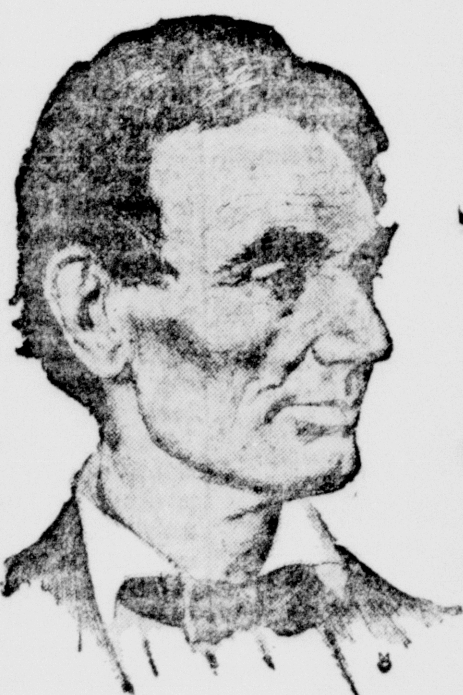
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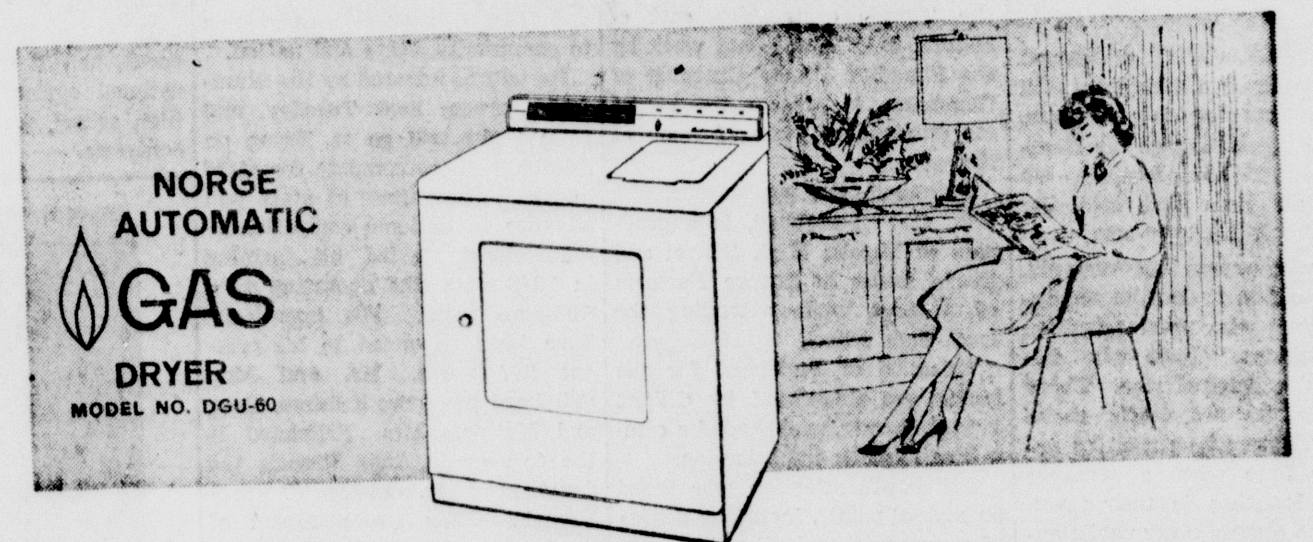
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## Annual Report of California Creek Soil District Shows Good Year in 1959

Eighty-one new cooperators joining and ranching 33,181 acres of land, have been added to the California Creek Soil Conservation District during the year just closed, according to officials of the district. There are 2,238 operating units in the district, covering some 72,069 acres of land, the report shows.

The district is composed of roughly one-eighth of Fisher County on the east side, the northern two-thirds of Jones County, the southern half of Haskell County, about one-eighth of the northwest corner of Shackelford County and about one-eighth of the southeast corner of Throckmorton County.

California Creek Soil Conservation District has been in operation for 18 years since it received a certificate of organization. The year 1959 has been a good year for farmers and ranchers in the district, and it followed the good year of 1958.

Present supervisors for the California Creek Soil Conservation District are as follows: Lambert W. Stenholm of Avoca, chairman; J. E. Nix of Anson, vice chairman; D. B. Sauls of Hamlin, secretary-treasurer; and B. Kupatt of Sagerton and Gene Overton of Haskell, members.

Brooke Early, retiring member from Zone 1, has moved to Abilene. Gene Overton was elected in October replacing Brooke Early in Zone 1. He is a farmer of the Paint Creek community and is a graduate of Texas A. & M. College.

Regular meetings of the board are held at 2:00 p. m. on the fourth Monday of each month at the S-H Conservation District office in Stamford. In 1959 the board held 12 regular meetings and one called meeting. Attendance of the board was about 90 per cent. One supervisor had a record; three had missed one meeting each out of 13.

Mr. Hewitt, soil conservation agent assigned to work in the district, attended all meetings. One in December was held at Ernest Cowger's place. The district conservationist, Mr. Overton, attended the meeting of June 1, 1959 covering the district.

The district in 1959 has 16 Great Plains plans in operation. In 1959 the board sponsored an essay contest. Five cash prizes were awarded the winners. Pictures of the presentation of the award were carried in our local newspapers and in our newsletter. The winning essays represented the district in the Fort Worth Press award essay contest.

The district sponsored a soil judging contest covering the more important soil and land classes of the district. Plaques were given to the winning teams and ribbons to the individual winners.

During the year, Brooke Early spoke, to two local Garden Clubs on conservation practices. He also spoke to the Rotary Club and acquainted them with the district's organization, aims and practices.

The board entered the Goodyear awards contest. Bruno Kupatt, supervisor from Sagerton, was named "Outstanding Supervisor" by the Texas Bank & Trust Company. Henry Fry, president of the First National Bank of Anson, made the award.

The district entered The Fort Worth Press awards contest as in previous years. The board entertained 15 ministers in the district at a barbecue and soil stewardship tour of the district to acquaint them with conservation practices applied on the land. There were 10 sermons preached in the district during Soil Stewardship Week.

The California Creek Soil Conservation District had an exhibit at the newly organized Jones County Fair that was held at Anson in August.

Supervisors attended the State Soil Conservation District convention in Abilene. There was only one other district in the state besides the California Creek SCD that had 100 per cent attendance by the supervisor. Three supervisors attended the national convention of soil conservation districts in Houston. On the return trip they visited League City and saw the press that puts out the the supervisors attended the monthly newsletters. Four of supervisor trainee meeting held in Olney on October 6. At that meeting Brooke Early spoke on "Publicizing and Promoting Activities of Soil Conservation."

Accomplishments for the district in 1959 are as follows: Brush control..... 5,653 acres  
Chisel plowing..... 631 acres  
Conservation cropping 4,438 acres  
Contour farming..... 10,596 acres  
Cover cropping..... 3,024 acres  
Crop residue use..... 19,282 acres  
Deferred grazing..... 12,960 acres  
Fertilizing..... 41 acres  
Stubble mulching..... 1,375 acres  
Pasture planting..... 202 acres  
Pitting..... 857 acres  
Proper range use..... 23,403 acres  
Range Seeding..... 1,981 acres  
Rotation hay and pasture..... 8,423 acres

Also: Wildlife improvements, 95; fish pond improvements, 11; diversions, 1.3 miles; farm ponds, 17; grassed waterways, 86 miles; improved water application, 102 acres; irrigation pipelines, 1.5 miles; irrigation water management, 29 acres; sprinkler irrigation system, 44 acres; surface irrigation system, 406 acres; terraces, new and enlargement, 646 miles.

Good use has been made by co-operators of the conservation equipment which is rented to the cooperators through the vocational agriculture teachers and custodians in the district. The following equipment is available: Five combination grain and fertilizer drills which rent for 50 cents an acre; seven two-row sword type planters, 25 cents acre; two grass drills, 50 cents acre; two land levelers or land plans, 50c acre or \$5 day; three border ridgers, \$2 per day; two Clint Harber type cultivators with attached fertilizers and seeders, 50 cents acre; one rock picker, \$5 per day; one inter-row seeder, 25 cents acre; three heavy duty rotary shredders, \$3 minimum per day.

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**SAFETY AWARD TO AIR NATIONAL GUARD PILOTS**—Colonel Downs E. Ingram (left) from Selridge Air Force Base, Michigan, presented a Continental Air Command Flying Safety Award to Texas Air National Guard pilot at Dallas. Brigadier General C. R. Bullock, the TACN's 136th Air Defense Wing Commander, received the honor for TANG F-86 Sabre-jet pilots stationed at Dallas, Houston, San Antonio and New Orleans, where they maintain a 24-hour all-weather vigil for CONAG.

## Cotton Farmers of Territory Urged to Report Unused Acreages to Save Scale

Cotton farmers of the Hamlin area this week are being reminded again of dangers of losing cotton acreages in 1961 if new regulations are not met by growers.

The warning was passed to The Herald by Fred Smith, Hamlin director to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, which organization is pinpointing the importance of compliance. The release as sent to Smith follows:

Under a new law, passed by the last session of Congress, if cotton is not regarded as planted under provisions of the soil bank act or the Great Plains program—a farm must plant 75 per cent of the allotted acres or acreage must be released, at the county ASC office. Otherwise, the allotment on the farm will be reduced in 1961.

A farmer who releases his allotment acres can maintain the cotton allotment history on his farm provided cotton is planted one out of three years.

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If you do not plan to use all or part of your 1960 cotton allotment acres, go to your county ASC office and release them before it is too late to get history credit on your farm.

Cotton growers who would like to have their cotton acreage increased must apply for additional acres, on the form provided, if they want to get their share of the released acres. They should also assist their ASC committee by encouraging non-growers to release unwanted cotton acres.

Apply now for the acres you actually want and will plant. Your request will furnish your county committee with justification necessary to obtain released acres from counties with "excess acres." There were around 500,000 "available" cotton allotment acres that were not utilized in 1959.

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## Area Sites Ruled Out for Brackish Water Installation

Proposed sites near Hamlin and Stamford and three other West Texas sites were ruled out of the running last week when locations for two government plants to convert brackish water to fresh were announced from Washington. Webster, South Dakota, and Roswell, New Mexico, were selected as sites for the plants.

The Department of Interior said Secretary of the Interior Fred Seaton disclosed the sites in a talk to the National Association of Soil Conservation Districts in Louisville, Kentucky.

Federal investigators checked the West Texas sites as well as the Roswell location early last November. The proposed site near Hamlin was on the Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos River northwest of Hamlin.

A forced circulation vapor compression distillation process plant designed to produce at least 250,000 gallons of fresh water daily will be erected at Roswell.

Roswell was chosen from more than 55 cities in the arid areas of the Southwest which had asked consideration.

About the only way a man can improve his lot these days is to increase the mortgage.

Rubber bands at The Herald.

## Three Winners Paid In Pied Piper Drawing

Winner's of Hamlin's first Pied Piper Day drawing Saturday were Mary H. Winton, Mrs. Jack Wickler and Ben Gonzales. Mrs. C. R. Binnicker's name was called for the \$50 award but she was not present.

The drawings will be held on the Dillingham lot north of the post office each Saturday afternoon at 4:00 p. m., according to C. L. Howard, chairman of the sponsoring trade development committee of the Board of Community Development.

## Area People to Go to San Antonio Rodeo

South and West Texans are "hitching-up their belts" to preparation for another package of 10 fun-filled days that will mark the San Antonio eleventh annual Livestock Show and Rodeo February 12 through 21. Several from the Hamlin area are expected to attend.

Opening of the show will be marked by the arrival of the popular TV and recording stars, "Mr. Country Music" Jimmy Dean and the glamorous Betty Johnson, who are scheduled to arrive Thursday.

February 11, and who will star at all 15 rodeo performances.

All kinds pencils at The Herald.

Plan to Attend

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February 28

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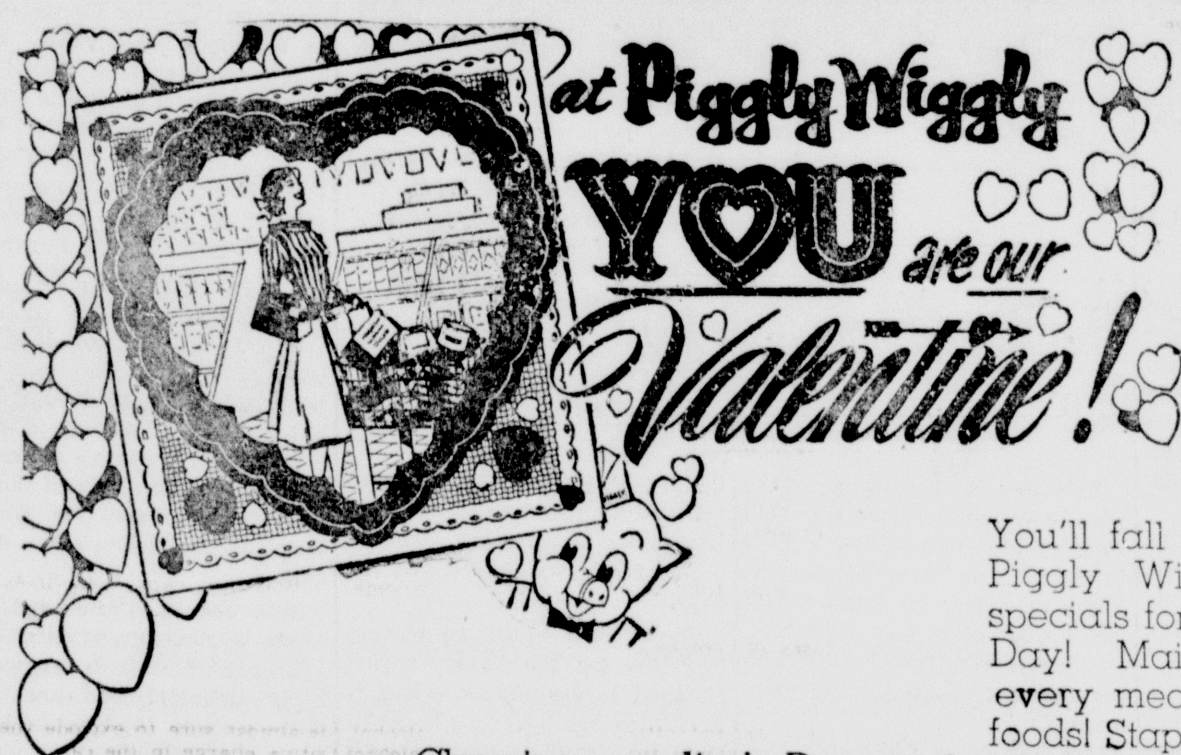
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Shurfine  
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**PRESERVES** 20-oz. Glass 41c

Instant Milk  
**STARLAC** 8-Quart Size 65c

Duncan Hines  
**CAKE MIXES** Reg. Pkgs. 3 for \$1.00

Swift's Oz  
**PEANUT BUTTER** 16-oz. Glass 43c

Soflin  
**TOILET TISSUE** 4-Roll Pkg. 37c

Nabisco  
**WAFFLE CREAMS** 6-oz. Pkg. 22c

Shurfresh  
**CRACKERS** 1-lb. Pkgs. 2 for 37c

Shurfine  
**TABLE SALT** Reg. Boxes 2 for 17c

Shurfine  
**TUNA FISH** Flat Can 27c

Shurfine  
**FLOUR** 10-lb. Pkg. 79c

Libby's  
**POTTED MEAT** 5 1/2-oz. Cans 2 for 35c

Libby's  
**CHOPPED BEEF** 12-oz. Can 43c

Swanson's  
**CHICKEN SPREAD** 5-oz. Can 17c

French's  
**INSTANT POTATOES** 7-oz. Pkg. 29c

Food King  
**OLEO** 1-lb. Pkgs. 2 for 29c

Pillsbury's Dinner  
**BUTTER FLAKES** 12-Roll Cans 2 for 49c

Supreme  
**LUXURY ASST.** 13 1/4-oz. Pkg. 39c

Shurfine Whole  
**GREEN BEANS** No. 303 Cans 2 for 45c

Shurfine  
**SPINACH** No. 303 Cans 2 for 25c

Shurfine  
**VACUUM CORN** 12-oz. Cans 2 for 29c

Shurfine  
**SWEET PEAS** No. 303 Cans 2 for 35c

Shurfine  
**SAUERKRAUT** No. 303 Cans 2 for 25c

Shurfine  
**PEACHES** No. 2 1/4 Cans 2 for 55c

Hunt's  
**FRUIT COCKTAIL** No. 2 1/4 Can 35c

Shurfine  
**APPLE SAUCE** No. 303 Cans 2 for 29c

Libby's  
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Sunshine  
**Choc. Chip COOKIES** 7 1/4-oz. Pkg. 25c

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Armour's Star <b>FRANKS</b>	Pound 45c
Flavorite <b>SAUSAGE</b>	2-lb. Bag 45c
Paces Heavy Beef <b>LOIN STEAK</b>	Pound 79c

Frozen Food Specials	
Shurfine <b>Orange Juice</b>	6-oz. Cans 2 for 37c
Libby's <b>WHOLE OKRA</b>	10-oz. Pkg. 19c
Mitty Nice <b>Strawberries</b>	10-oz. Pkgs. 2 for 39c
Patlo Beef <b>ENCHILADAS</b>	Pkg. 59c

PRODUCE FEATURES	
Yellow <b>ONIONS</b>	Pound 5c
Crisp <b>CARROTS</b>	Cello Pkgs. 2 for 13c
No. 1 <b>YAMS</b>	Pound 7 1/2c
Texas Oranges or <b>GRAPEFRUIT</b>	Sack 31c





# The Herald's Page for Women



## LaNord Bayouth to Wed Brownwood Girl in March 6 Ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Owens of Brownwood this week are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Linda Kay, to LaNord (Nordie) Bayouth of Hamlin. Bayouth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Bayouth of Hamlin.

Miss Owens is a graduate of Brownwood High School, and has attended Abilene Christian College and Howard Payne College at Brownwood. She is a member of Delta Theta chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha and is presently employed at Weakley-Watson Company in Brownwood.

Bayouth is a graduate of Snyder High School and has attended the University of Texas. He is now manager of Frank's Department Store in Hamlin.

The couple plans their wedding in Brownwood on Sunday, March 6.

## Jones County Club Women Attend Area Planning Gathering

Three Jones County Home Demonstration Club women and Mary Y. Newberry, Jones County home demonstration agent, attended the Texas Home Demonstration Association training and planning meeting at Benjamin last Friday.

After a thorough discussion on THDA, the District III THDA meeting at Quanah on March 17 was planned.

Mrs. Walter Grimm, home demonstration council president, gave a report on how Jones County had carried out the THDA citizenship recommendations. Reports were also made on civil defense, health and safety, 4-H Club work, education and recreation.

The women accompanying the agent were Mrs. Homer Hutto, president of the Friendly Circle Home Demonstration Club; Mrs. J. A. Walker of the Bluebonnet Club; and Mrs. W. R. Grimm.

Forty-eight per cent of the Labor Day (1956 Labor Day weekend) fatal traffic accidents involved a drinking driver.

Women may spend money on hats, but they never spend \$25 on fishing tackle to catch a 25-cent fish.

## BOOK SHOP NEWS...

Valentines! Valentines! Valentines!

Valentines for everyone, including Sweethearts, Husbands, Wives, Teachers, the Boss—in fact, just everybody.

Shipment of lovely new linen Handkerchiefs to tuck in a Valentine heart for that very special Valentine.

Mary Sherman Bubbling Bath Oil continues to be a favorite for gifts and for your very own needs.

We are giving Pied Piper Days coupons. Be sure to call for your coupon if we fail to give it to you.

Monogrammed Stationery is an ideal gift. (We monogram while you wait).

Have you been in to get your copy of the Commentary on the International Sunday School Lessons for 1960? We still have several copies of Peloubet's, Tarbell's and Douglas.

See us for a new Bible—King James and Revised Standard Versions. Also Pink, Blue, White and Black Testaments. (Free Monogram).

Call for your Pied Piper Days coupons!

Syracuse Fine China in several lovely patterns and Syracuse CAREFREE Dinnerware for casual living.

Come in for that "hard-to-find" gift for someone who has everything. We have such a varied selection of gifts that you will, no doubt, be able to find just what you need.

It is our desire and pleasure to serve you.

PHONE 63

**THE BOOK SHOP**

Mrs. E. M. Wilson



BRIDE-TO-BE of La Nord (Nordie) Bayouth of Hamlin is Linda Kay Owens (above), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Owens of Brownwood. The wedding is scheduled to be in the home of the bride's parents in Brownwood on Sunday, March 6.

## Hamlin Woman's Forum Makes Plans For Tag Day During Library Week

February regular meeting of the Hamlin Woman's Forum was held Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock in the Hamlin Memorial Library. Those attending the forum meetings include officers of the forum, presidents and representatives from the nine women's club included in this organization.

Mrs. Tate May, chairman of the library committee, reported that 102 books had been checked out from November to February. There are now 1,500 books in the library.

## Elizabeth Daniell and Freddy Hale to Marry

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Daniell are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth, to Freddy Hale, the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hale of Roby.

The bride-elect is a 1959 graduate of Hamlin High School and is now attending Draughon's Business College in Abilene.

Her fiancé is a 1957 graduate of Roby High School, and is employed with Polston Trucking Company in Abilene.

The couple will be married in the Hamlin Church of Christ on Friday, February 26, and will reside in Abilene following their honeymoon.

YOU CAN USUALLY FIND THAT HARD TO FIND ITEM AT BUIE'S IN STAMFORD FROM PIANOS TO WATER PUMPS-TRACTORS TO FURNITURE-SEE BUIE'S-STAMFORD.

## Lawana Beth Tidwell Weds at Weatherford

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tidwell of Dennis are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Lawana Beth, to Bobby Light of Weatherford on February 3. The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Tidwell of Hamlin.

The newlyweds will make their home in Weatherford after a brief honeymoon.

Tea napkins at The Herald.

## Elmer Rhoton to Wed Maurine Mayfield of Aspermont Feb. 27

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Mayfield of Aspermont are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Maurine, to Elmer Rhoton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rhoton of Hamlin.

The couple will exchange marriage vows on February 27 at 6:00 o'clock in the home of her parent in Aspermont.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Aspermont High School and has attended McMurry College at Abilene. Her fiancé is a graduate of Hamlin High School and is now employed by El Paso Natural Gas Company in Jal, New Mexico. They will reside in that city.

## Hamlin Homemaking Teachers Attend Area Workshop at Abilene

Homemaking teachers of the Central West Texas area met last Friday and Saturday for their spring in-service workshop at Abilene.

At the Saturday session High School Principal E. V. Newberry spoke on "Teacher Competencies" as a member of a panel. Other speakers were M. R. Morris, curriculum director of Abilene schools; Mrs. Myrtle Bailey, teacher trainer of Abilene Christian College; Mrs. Maurice Silk, homemaking teacher in Abilene High School; Mrs. Mary F. Radius, Brownwood homemaking teacher, was panel moderator.

At the interest session Friday night at Waldrop Furniture Company, Sam Waldrop and Pat Wood discussed "New Trends in Home Furnishings." After a coffee, the group was shown through the new presidential suite at the Windsor Hotel which Waldrop's has decorated.

Mrs. Joe W. Carter and Mrs. James E. Simmons attended. Also attending were Aileen Broyles and Betty Johnson, who are doing their student teaching in homemaking at Hamlin High School this semester.

## Agent Demonstrates Growing Shrubs from Cuttings at Meeting

"Growing Trees and Shrubs from Cuttings" was the demonstration which Mary Y. Newberry, Jones County home demonstration agent, conducted in her office on Wednesday morning for homestead improvement leaders, with 23 club women of the county attending.

The agent demonstrated and discussed how to choose branches and make cuttings; how to select soil for growing cuttings and how to set them out; how to care for cuttings; and how to transplant rooted cuttings. Also hardwood and softwood cuttings were discussed.

Cuttings that had already been rooted and cuttings being rooted were displayed. Also colored slides of cuttings were shown.

Leaders attending the demonstration who will do the demonstration back in their own clubs were Mrs. Roy Williams, Mrs. Landon Loper, Mrs. Hollis Irvin, Mrs. Tom Hogan, Mrs. Noel Weaver, Mrs. W. J. B. Ferguson, Mrs. C. L. Moritz, Mrs. Sol Branscum, Mrs. Carl Young, Mrs. Jennings Winter, Mrs. H. H. Windham, Mrs. M. E. Carothers, Mrs. J. H. Doty, Mrs. A. J. McIlwain, Mrs. J. E. Touchstone, Mrs. Ab Hunter Jr., Mrs. Jack Fuqua, Mrs. Glenn Rennels, Mrs. Fate Price, Mrs. W. L. Alford, Mrs. Maxey Harvey and Mrs. Bill Chambers.

## Six New Members Inducted by Women in Woodcraft Group

Six new members were inducted into the recently organized Hamlin chapter of Women in Woodcraft when the group met last Tuesday evening at the oil mill guest house. They are Mmes. Roy Server, Odie Fry, Billy Jordan, Gene Greenway, Laura Tucker and Buddy Portwood.

Another new applicant was accepted for membership, Mrs. Bebie Sanders.

June Greenway was elected as a two-year trustee of the organization. She also was appointed pianist by the empress, Mrs. Fred Vaughan.

Plans were made by attendants for a family social, to be held Tuesday evening, February 16. Following the induction ceremonies and business session, a social period followed. Refreshments were served.

## THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



"We just had one of those new colored phones installed ... Don't you notice the difference?"

## Beta Theta Chapter Plans Valentine Sweetheart Party Saturday Evening

Members of the Beta Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi voted to contribute to the international endowment fund when they met last Wednesday at the oil mill guest house in regular session. Mrs. D. C. Andrews was hostess for the meeting.

Mrs. Wilson Brannon and Mrs. D. C. Andrews reported to the group on the recent workshop at the West Texas Rehabilitation Center at Abilene at which time plans were made for the annual Easter seal drive, to be conducted in Hamlin April 5 from 7:00 to 9:00 p. m.

Elected to the nominating committee were Mmes. W. A. Hawkins, Guy Weaver, Jimmy Vaughn and L. C. Vaughn.

Mrs. Wilson Brannon, social chairman, named committees for the Valentine sweetheart party, to be held at the home of Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr. at 7:30 p. m. Saturday, February 13.

Members voted on the Chapter Sweetheart, to be revealed at the Valentine party.

Mrs. Andrews served refreshments to Mmes. Fred B. Moore Jr., James Harrison, Garland Preston.

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## New Officers Elected by Fifty-Two Study Club Group at Session in Library

New officers were elected when members of the Fifty-Two Study Club met in regular session at the Hamlin Memorial Library, with Mrs. Irby Weaver as hostess.

Those officers elected for the 1960-61 club year are: Mrs. Byron O. Bell, president; Mrs. Cecil Sellers, first vice president; Mrs. Jack Vaughan, second vice president; Mrs. L. A. Joiner, recording secretary; Mrs. Ed Croan, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. A. Howard, treasurer; Mrs. J. E. McCoy, reporter; Mrs. Noel Weaver, librarian-historian; Mrs. Clarence Hyer, federation counselor; Mrs. Gene Westmoreland, executive board member; Mrs. Fred Vaughan, representative to Woman's Forum; Mrs. Charles Newland, alternate representative; Mrs. Bobby Crowley, director to Hamlin Foundation.

It was announced that the Hamlin Memorial Library, sponsored

by the Woman's Forum, now has 1,500 books. All members will participate in the Tag Day during National Library Week, April 3 to 9. It was also announced that the Forum is planning a new members' tea some time in March.

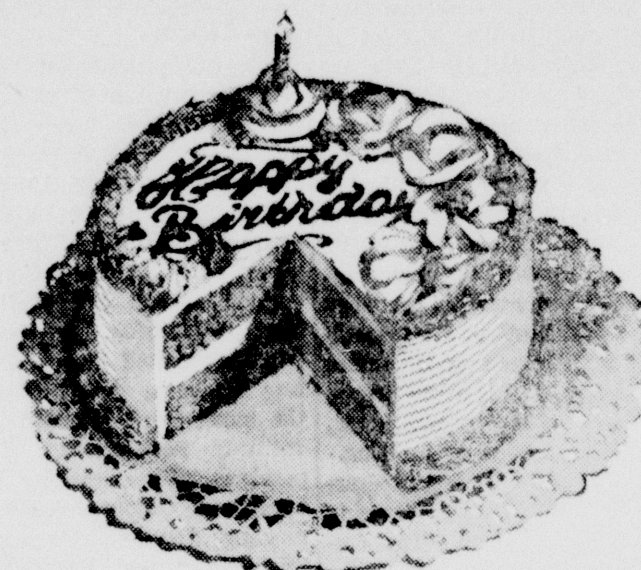
Guest speaker at the meeting was John Elkins, interior decorator at Sears in Abilene, who spoke on "The Magic of Color in the Home."

The refreshment table was laid in white with a centerpiece of red and white carnations that carried out the Valentine motif. Coffee and cookies were served to 14 members and the guest, Mr. Elkins.

Isolation might be all right if the rest of the world declines to believe that you mean it.

Many a woman fights a divorce, not to keep her husband, but to hold on to a meal ticket.

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Boys' Long <b>WOOL PANTS</b> \$2.50	Assorted Costume <b>JEWELRY</b> Half Price
<b>GIRL'S TIGHTS</b> Sizes 4 to 6x \$1.50	One Group Girdles Special 20% Off
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David and Odessa Daniels of Ballinger have taken over the operation of the City Cafe, and welcome old patrons and new friends to Hamlin's favorite eating place. We will be featuring

Short Orders  
Regular Dinners  
Sandwiches  
Home-Made Pies  
Good Coffee



### DINING ROOM IN THE REAR

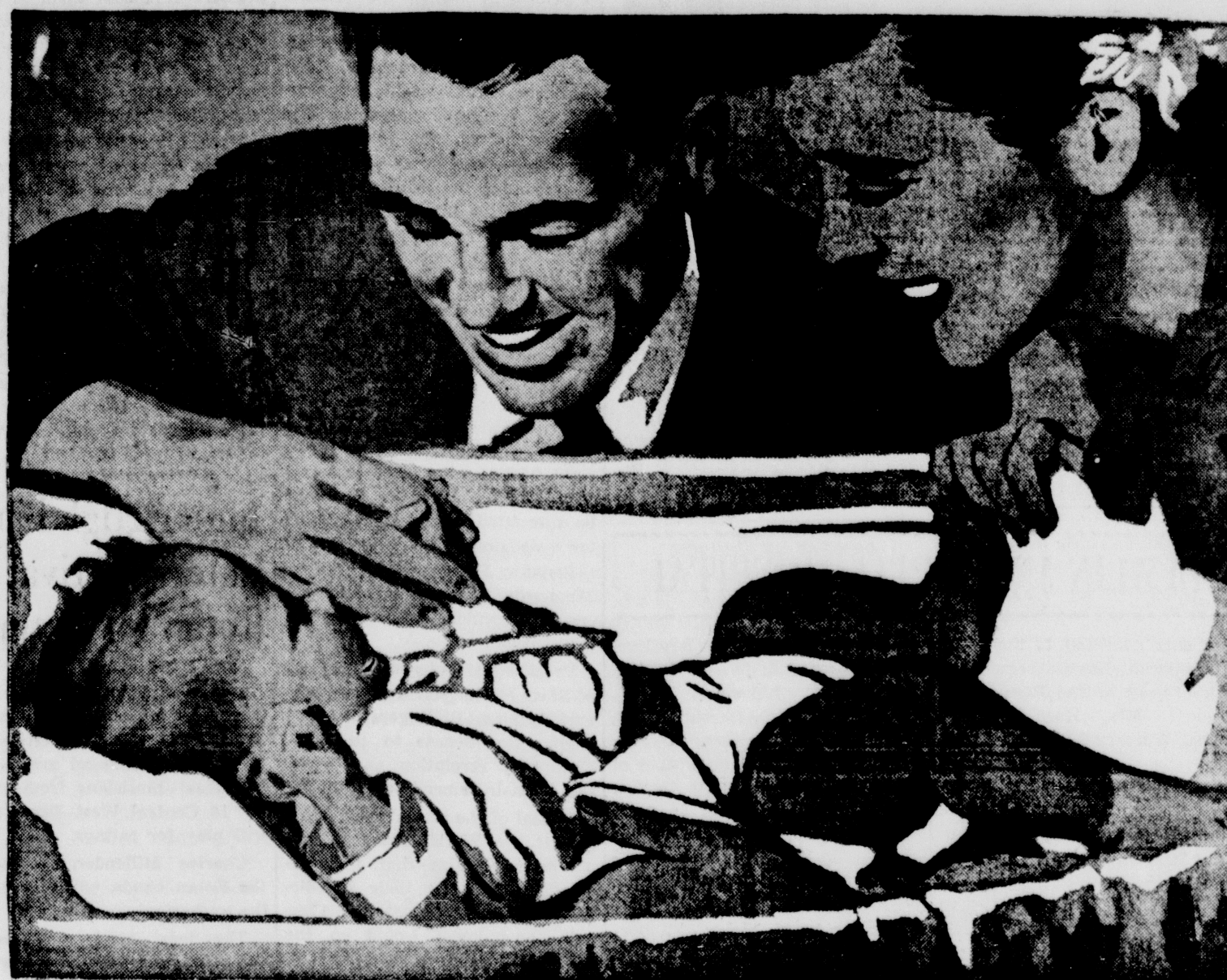
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**HAMLIN IS YOUR BABY**—It needs a change! No longer can its present facilities adequately serve today's demands.

**HAMLIN IS YOUR BABY**—It needs your attention and tender, loving care. "Man cannot live by bread alone"... and neither can communities. Hamlin needs your support, your ideas and help.

**HAMLIN IS YOUR BABY**—It needs new clothes... clothes in the form of new houses for many of its families. Families grow and need more room. New houses must be built to accommodate their needs.

**HAMLIN IS YOUR BABY**—Its future must be planned. Communities don't just happen! They are planned and developed according to the plan. Hamlin's future can only be what you want it to be.

**HAMLIN IS YOUR BABY**—It needs a fair chance to compete with other communities in this struggle for existence. Community development is a highly competitive business. If Hamlin is to hold its own for the next decade, it must have a "crash program" just to stay on the same field—much less put up a goal line stand. This means that Hamlin must provide those things which people are looking for in other towns—good homes, jobs, business opportunities, new industries.

**HAMLIN IS YOUR BABY**—It needs a new diet. Communities need variety in their diet the same as people. Hamlin needs new ideas, new voices, new opinions and more people to assume civic responsibilities.

**HAMLIN IS YOUR BABY**—It needs YOU! It needs your interest, your ideas and your support. Why not invest in Hamlin today?

Invest through the only organization devoting its full time to provide all these things for your BABY—the Hamlin Board of Community Development. Through this organization you can pool your time and energies with others to accomplish collectively those things you cannot do alone. Your time and effort will be directed to serve your particular interest. It will be the best investment your dollars ever made!

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## Hamlin Auto Parts Now at Home in Big New Building

O. R. (Bob) Riddell and his employees will tell you that moving a business with tens of thousands of parts is a super-duper task under any circumstances. But when it has to be done while still trying to buy and sell, it's stupendous.

The move has about been completed by Riddell's Hamlin Auto Parts, and things are nearly back to normal this week. The business is at home in a spanking new concrete, cement tile, brick and glass-in building three blocks north of the former location just south of Crow Brothers Grocery.

The new building is located on the site formerly occupied by Hudson's Garage, just north of the Hamlin Fire Station. Riddell built the building to suit his requirements in the auto parts firm.

Set back about 30 feet from the Central Avenue front, the business provides parking space for several cars in front. Also a paved area north of the building provides additional parking.

Riddell says that a formal opening of the business will probably be held later, after signs and other additions shall have been made.

## Ropeville Man to Talk At Nazarene Church

Rev. Roy McCoy of Ropeville will be preaching in both services of the day Sunday at the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene, according to the pastor, Rev. R. T. Jorrell.

McCoy has many friends in this area because of being a one time resident. He is filling the pulpit of the pastor, who is in a revival meeting in Arkansas.

If you're ashamed of your gas mileage, do as others do—fib about it.

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# HCD

February 28



BRAND NEW QUARTERS for the Hamlin Auto Parts business of O. R. (Bob) Riddell on the former site of Hudson's Garage is shown in the picture above. The 40x100-foot structure is constructed of concrete blocks, steel, rose-colored face brick, plate glass front and Celotex poured roof. Parking space is provided by a recessed front and a parking area north of the new building. The concern formerly was located south of Crow Brothers Grocery.

## Senator Johnson Says Preparedness Vital to Defense

Senate Majority Leader Lyndon B. Johnson said Sunday that America cannot rely on a "crystal ball" method of guessing Soviet intentions in "an age of 15-minute attack."

In a radio broadcast to his Texas constituents, Senator Johnson said that modern technology has reached a point where, in the event of aggression, "we will win or lose according to the forces that we have on the day of the attack itself."

"If we have sufficient force to strike back at once, it is unlikely that an aggressor will even dare to attack. But if we do not have such force, our prospects would be bleak indeed."

Senator Johnson said that one of the basic problems of defending our country is to determine just what constitutes "enough" in the way of defensive forces. In the past, he said, this country has tried to answer that question by determining Soviet capabilities.

"The new secretary of defense, Mr. Gates," he continued, "says that we are now basing our programs, not upon what the Soviets can do, but what they intend to do."

He said that the aeronautical and space science committee and the armed services preparedness committee are trying to bring out "all of the facts of the impact of this new theory upon our defense program in hearings which started Friday."

## HAMLIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: Mrs. Harold Ernest, medical, January 31; Ethyl Bolvin of Sylvester, medical, February 1; Donna Compton, medical, February 1; Mrs. William Forbes of Roby, ob., February 1; Ross Gruben of McCauley, medical, February 1; J. A. Mash of Roby, medical, February 1; Pam Morgan of Peacock, medical, February 1; Patricia Windsor of Aspermont, medical, February 1; Donald Douglas, medical, February 2; Haldor Major, medical, February 2; Mrs. Jack Russell, medical, February 2; Mrs. R. C. Walden, surgery, February 2; Noel Weaver, medical, February 2; Dr. H. K. Finley of Aspermont, medical, February 3; R. B. Hartwell, medical, February 3; Leroy Kirby, medical, February 3; David Mullings, medical, February 3; Mrs. A. Spencer, medical, February 3; Mrs. R. D. Wade, medical, February 3; Mrs. W. J. Teel of Aspermont, medical, February 3; LaFoy Patterson, medical, February 4; Mrs. A. B. Ellison of Aspermont, medical, February 5; William A. Jernigan, medical, February 5; Mrs. H. E. Kiker of Roby, surgery, February 5; L. H. McCollum of McCauley, medical, February 5; Mrs. Pat Mitchell of Aspermont, medical, February 5; Mrs. Joe Murff, medical, February 5; Mrs. Thomas Newland, medical, February 5; Mrs. Connie O'Neal, medical, February 5; Charlie Owens of McCauley, medical, February 5; Mrs. Dee Waggoner, ob., February 5.

## Many Veterans Use Insurance Dividends To Pay Premiums

More than 1,000,000 veterans who have GI life insurance policies are using their regular annual dividends to guard against the loss of their insurance, the Veterans Administration said this week in a release to The Herald.

The VA recently announced that \$253,500,000 in dividends would be paid during 1960 to more than 5,000,000 veterans and servicemen who hold participating GI insurance.

GI policy holders may have these annual dividends held—with interest—by the agency as a credit to pay premiums monthly if the policy holders fail to pay them before the end of the 31-day grace period.

This procedure is followed automatically if the policy holder does not request other disposition of his annual dividends, the VA explained, but the policy holder has two other options.

He may use his annual dividends to pay policy premiums in advance, or he may request the VA to pay his dividends in cash, the VA said.

## Congressman Burleson Says Change in World Court Jurisdiction Not Wise

Efforts to change the jurisdiction of the International Court of Justice are being made in Washington, notes Congressman Omar Burleson in his weekly news release from the capitol to The Hamlin Herald. The release says:

In 1946 the United States Senate ratified United States membership in the International Court of Justice, commonly referred to as the World Court.

At that time an amendment by Senator Tom Connally, who was then chairman of the foreign relations committee, was adopted to provide that the World Court should not have jurisdiction in our domestic affairs and that the United States should reserve its right to determine whether a case was of domestic nature or should be submitted to the World Court for a decision.

Senator Hubert Humphrey of Minnesota has now introduced a resolution which would repeal this reservation.

President Eisenhower, Secretary of State Herter and Attorney General William P. Rogers are now urging the Senate to pass the Humphrey resolution and repeal the Connally amendment.

Repeal of the amendment would permit the World Court to rule on legal disputes that they decided were within their jurisdiction. With repeal of the Connally amendment would go the surrender of an important part of the sovereignty of the United States.

The World Court is made up of 15 judges. The United States has but one member. A majority of nine members of the court may render decisions, thus making it possible that five judges, all of whom may be from foreign countries, and even from Communist nations, could render decisions for or against America.

The secretary of state, testifying before the Senate committee, said that we should not be misapprehensive that repeal of the Connally amendment would threaten the control of the United States over its own domestic matters. He says that domestic issues are "clearly beyond" the court's jurisdiction.

It is true that domestic matters are beyond the court's jurisdiction, but with the repeal of the Connally amendment, it would be up to the World Court as to whether it had jurisdiction or not.

The secretary of state also said that such matters as immigration, tariffs and the Panama Canal should come under the international court's jurisdiction. That is exactly what might happen should the Connally amendment be repealed.

Attorney General Rogers said that repeal would "greatly enhance the prestige" of the United States.

States. It should seem clear to anyone that the surrender of national sovereignty to possibly five individuals who may be from Communist nations is a terrible price to pay for "prestige."

If this nation does not have prestige by this time, by reason of all it has done for the world since World War II, it is not likely to buy it with capitulations of this sort.

Since, under the constitution, only the United States Senate ratifies treaties and agreements of this nature, the matter will not come to the House of Representatives. Every citizen should hope that our Senate will not repeal the Connally amendment.

## Junior High Band Enters Festival at Rotan for Ratings

Hamlin Junior High School Band will participate Saturday in the Intermediate Band Festival at Rotan, when musical groups and individual musicians from probably 15 Central West Texas cities will play for ratings.

Charles Millender, director of the Rotan bands, will be host for the gathering.

The local band, composed of about 30 members, is under the direction of Tim Jones.

Trophies will be given bands for each first division rating on graded basis rather than an placing, Millender said. Awards will also be given for concert performance and sight reading. And sweepstakes trophies will be given bands which receive as many as two first division ratings.

Solos and ensembles will compete from 1:00 to 4:30 p. m., and individuals who are first division winners will receive medals.

The bands will be in concert in the high school auditorium from 8:30 to 11:30 a. m., Millender said. About 350 students are expected to be entered in the day's events.

Judges for all events will be Merlin Jenkins, assistant band director in Abilene High School; and Russell Grieb, band director in Lincoln Junior High at Abilene.

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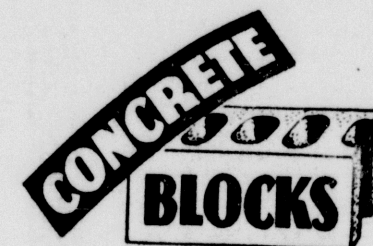
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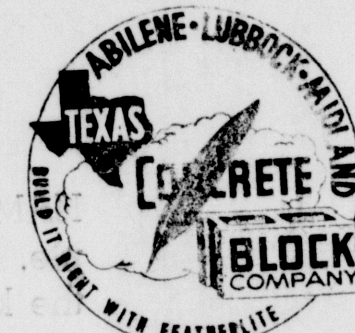


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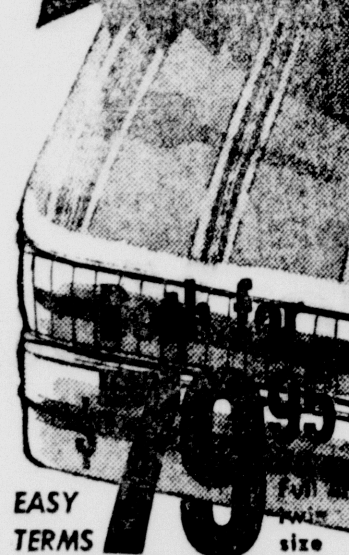


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We bespeak for you a lot of success in your new, expanded quarters. You have a wonderful place of business, and we're glad we're your neighbor!

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## S. Senator Lyndon Johnson Points to Controversial Session of Congress

Many people in recent days have predicted that controversy would mark this second session of the eighty-sixth Congress, declares U. S. Senator Lyndon B. Johnson in his weekly news release to The Herald. He continues: I suspect they are right.

After all, controversy normally involves a difference of opinion. This may be either large or small. I would be the last to ever hope that the day might come where in this country there would be no differences of opinion.

One of the keystones of a democracy is the freedom to think and the equal freedom to freely express those thoughts.

In our nation's capital, on the floor of the United States Senate, is one of the greatest forums that the world has ever seen. Here, the elected representatives of the people of this nation may freely express their views and—in the final analysis—arrive at what is best for the nation. Inevitably, the majority of these men resolves their differences by seeking the best and doing the possible.

There are rarely problems, particularly in the field of national issues, that do not involve differences of opinion.

There will be before the Congress in this session the matter of national defense, including the

nation's drive to achieve and to maintain first place in outer space. In this connection, the Senate space and aeronautical sciences committee—which I am privileged to head as chairman—will open intensive hearings in the immediate future.

The dire problems of our national farm program will certainly be the subject of debate.

There is the matter of civil rights and the sharp divisions of opinion embodied in that subject.

Other issues involving every shade of opinion include such matters as wage-hour legislation, labor, and interest rates.

These are but a few. There are many other subjects which will certainly come before the Congress for action and for decision.

Finally, there is the matter of the budget and the fiscal responsibility of this nation. In this I have no doubt as to the course that will be taken by the Congress.

Again, I confidently expect that the Congress will reduce the president's budget recommendations. Last year \$1,800,000,000 was sliced from the chief executive's spending suggestions. The same careful analysis that was given every spending request this year will be given the president's budget recommendations this year.

## Responsibility Lack Suspends Licenses

Forty-eight motor vehicle drivers' licenses were suspended during 1959 because of failure by operators to file or show proof of financial responsibility following convictions or accidents, according to records just released from Austin by the Texas Department of Public Safety to The Herald.

Seventeen of the suspensions resulted from convictions, and 31 followed accidents, the report reveals.

Proof of responsibility must be in the form of a certificate of motor vehicle liability insurance; a bond in the amount of \$15,000 signed by two persons owning real estate equal in value to at least twice the amount of such bond; or a certificate of deposit of money or securities with the state treasurer in the amount of \$15,000.

This is as it should be, and I am confident will continue to be.

The Senate has recently published a report which will be of interest to many Texans. It brings together a multitude of facts and highly interesting information on the proposed Amistad Dam to be built on the Rio Grande.

This dam, as you know, was originally known as Diablo Dam. However, the name was changed following conferences last October between President Lopez Mateos of Mexico and President Eisenhower.

I think that the new name is particularly appropriate. It emphasizes the close friendship that has for so many years united the Republic of Mexico and this nation.

There are many interesting facts brought out in the report that was prepared by the International Boundary and Water Commission.

For instance, the report says that the benefits, as compared to costs, would be a ratio of almost two to one. This is projected on a 50-year life for the project. Based on a 100-year life, the ratio of dollar benefits to dollar costs would be almost two and one-half to one.

Among other things, the dam and reservoir would help protect against loss of life and would safeguard property from flood loss. I was interested to read that the International Boundary Commission estimates that without additional flood control measures, this loss in the future will amount to an estimated \$1,440,000 annually.

Copies of this report are available. If you would like to have one I would be happy to have you write me at the Senate Office Building, Washington, D. C.

## STRICTLY BUSINESS

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"I never put off until tomorrow what my assistant can do today!"

### VISITS IN LUBBOCK.

Mrs. George Malouf returned Monday after spending the week-end with her daughter, Angela, in Lubbock.

Fools make feasts, and wise men enjoy them.—James Sandford.

### REVERSING THINGS.

Some genius can make a fortune if he will contrive a woman's purse with a zipper at the bottom. That's where they always find something.—Quonset Scout.

See The Herald for paper clips

## Hamlin Students to Attend Convention of Future Teachers Unit

Several students from Hamlin and McCaulley High Schools are scheduled to be among the more than 1,200 high school students of Texas who will attend the annual state convention of the Future Teachers of America at North Texas State College at Denton, February 19 and 20, according to a release to The Herald from the Denton school.

"Quality Teachers for Tomorrow" is the theme to be followed by the students in workshops and by guest speakers.

At the opening session the afternoon of February 19, delegates will hear a talk by Mrs. M. K. Anthony, Wichita Falls history instructor. Speaker for the concluding banquet the next night will be Dr. John McFarland, superintendent of schools at Houston.

Other convention features will be the selection of a Mr. and Miss FTA, judging of best chapter yearbooks and scrapbooks, and the awarding of two \$1,000 college scholarships by the Texas State Teachers Association.

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That moving job (whew!) was a big one, too. We're glad it's over. And, naturally, we found some things we had "filed away" in the months gone by. In our new location we are in much better position to serve our patrons—with parking facilities on the north side and in front of the new building. Come in to see us soon and often!

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## CITIZENS WARNED ON OVERUSE OF ANTIBIOTICS

Misuse and overuse of the new "wonder drugs"—antibiotics—has become a serious medical problem, according to the editors of *Changing Times*.

In a copyrighted article in the current issue of the magazine, the editors say that the great healing properties of the antibiotics have been demonstrated, but that it is also true that there is much danger in their misuse.

Patients, doctors, hospitals and pharmaceutical houses must share the blame for the over-emphasis on "wonder drugs." As a result of this dependence on antibiotics, more and more persons are developing sensitiveness to such medicines.

In addition, normally harmless types of bacteria have become virulent; other, like staphylococcus, have become impervious to antibiotics.

Individuals can contribute to the drive to

stop misuse and overuse of the drugs by refraining from demanding them for minor illnesses, giving doctors the time and opportunity to diagnose ailments properly.

In addition, patients are advised to report to doctors whether they, or any members of their families, have ever had any reaction to "wonder drugs" and whether they have any allergy, such as asthma.

Other steps to curb the dangers of misuse of the medicines are reported. Many doctors are re-educating patients concerning the need-versus-risk aspect of antibiotic therapy, and hospitals and surgeons are stressing stricter antiseptic practices in operating rooms and in wards.

The magazine notes that researchers, both in and out of the drug companies, are seeking to develop new drugs that will keep a step ahead of the rise in new resistant strains of bacteria.

## RECALLING Other Years

★ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home-Town Newspaper, The Herald.

### FORTY YEARS AGO

Scanning the old files of The Hamlin Herald, we find the following items of interest, taken from the issue of February 13, 1920:

Lou Dan Stephens, who is teaching school at Swedenia, spent the week-end with her folks at Royston.

W. M. Gruben, Sid Brumfield and Henry Gruben of Royston were business visitors in Hamlin Thursday.

Alvin Gray of Cisco was here Sunday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gray.

J. W. Gay, who has been with W. M. Green & Son for a long time, has accepted a position with Pool-Whittington Company dry goods store.

Fred Brewton returned recently from Quanah with his sister, Mrs. Guy Manning.

J. B. Greenway has bought the residence where they have been living from R. W. Hicks.

### THIRTY YEARS AGO

Among news items of interest in the Hamlin community three decades ago were the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated February 14, 1930:

The Pied Piper basketball team of Hamlin High School opened the championship race last Wednesday with a 13 to 10 victory over the Stamford Bulldogs.

A. D. McLaughlin and wife went to Sylvester Sunday where they visited in the home of Mrs. McLaughlin's sister, Mrs. Ed B. Beck.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Routh returned Sunday from Abilene, where Mrs. Routh had spent three weeks taking medical treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Newsome and little daughter, Hertha Wayne, visited Mrs. Cecil Allison at Electric last week-end. They report seeing lots of snow.

S. C. Ferguson, who is assisting the Huddleston Construction Company with road building near Brownwood, visited his family here this week.

B. L. Jones is spending a few days in Dallas this week on business.

### TWENTY YEARS AGO

Taken from the early files of The Hamlin Herald are the following news briefs of a score of years ago, reprinted from the issue of February 10, 1940:

More than 200 people of the community and guests attended the annual banquet Monday evening of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce.

Jones County topped the 18-county Central West Texas District in oil well completions last year, with 247 wells reported.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Morton and sons, Hubert and Lester, were called to Newsom, Camp County, last week by the serious illness of Mrs. Morton's sister, Mrs. Lizzie Fleming, who died Sunday.

Mrs. L. E. Pyeatt of Olney spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. T. M. Hill.

### TEN YEARS AGO

News briefs of interest of ten years ago included those taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated February 10, 1950:

Six men arrested early this week in Eastland are linked with a series of burglaries in Central West Texas, including the recent entry of Winn's Variety Store and the Safeway store in Hamlin.

T. C. Blankinship has announced plans for a chili supper sponsored by the Future Farmers of America chapter, slated next Tuesday night.

B. M. (Mac) Brundage this week acceded to urgings by friends to seek the office of mayor of Hamlin. Mayor Holly Toler will not run for reelection.

### FIVE YEARS AGO

From The Hamlin Herald dated February 11, 1955, the following news briefs are reproduced:

A new swimming pool at the Hamlin City Park is being promoted by civic and women's clubs of the community.

Emergency feed plan for farmers in Jones County with livestock sponsored by the government, will be closed soon, it is announced.

Charles Nall's plans for a fine pig entry in the annual livestock show on February 26 were hatched this week when his animal was poisoned.

A throat specialist says smoking tends to make a woman's voice harsh. If you don't agree, try flicking some ashes in your coffee cup after dinner.

## New Veteran Pension Law Changes Benefits Payable to Vets and Families

How will it affect me? Many thousands of veterans and their dependents are asking this about the new pension law recently enacted by Congress. The Hamlin Herald asked the Veterans Administration for answers to basic questions about this complex legislation. Here are the answers in part of a series.

Q.—In order to compare the new pension system with the present one, what is the amount of pension a single veteran may receive now?

A.—At present any World War I, II or Korean conflict veteran, if he is single and drawing a pension, receives \$66.15 a month unless he is 65 years of age or older, or has been on the pension rolls 10 years, in which event he draws \$78.75. Those who became blind or so helpless as to require the regular aid and attendance of another person receive \$135.45 per month.

Q.—Now what will single veterans receive under the new system after July 1, 1960.

A.—The new system is planned to relate the amount of pension paid to the need of the pensioner, thus a veteran without dependents may receive a pension of \$85 a month if his annual income is not more than \$600; \$70 a month if his income is above \$600 but not more than \$1,200; and \$40 a month if his income is more than \$1,200 but not more than \$1,800. If his annual income is more than \$1,800 he receives nothing.

Q.—What pension does a veteran with dependents receive at present?

A.—He receives the same amount of pension as the single veteran receives. His only advantage is

that he may continue to draw the pension if he has an annual income as high as \$2,700, whereas the single veteran cannot draw a pension if his annual income exceeds \$1,400.

Q.—How will the veteran with dependents fare under the new system?

A.—A veteran with one dependent may receive \$90 a month if his annual income is not more than \$1,000; \$75 a month if his annual income is more than \$1,000 but not more than \$2,000; and \$45 a month if his annual income is more than \$2,000 but not more than \$3,000. If his annual income is more than \$3,000 he receives nothing.

Q.—What about the veteran with more than one dependent?

A.—A veteran with two dependents may receive monthly pension payments of \$95, \$75 and \$45 in the same three income ranges noted above. A veteran with three or more dependents may receive monthly payments of \$100, \$75 and \$45 in those income ranges.

Q.—What will the new system do for veterans who require regular aid and attendance?

A.—Under the new law all pensions will be increased \$70 a month for veterans who require regular aid and attendance.

### ATTENDS WEDDING.

Mrs. Bert Fomby left Friday for Wichita, Kansas, to attend the wedding of a niece.

### VISITS FROM HAMBY.

Mrs. Elbert Knox of Mamby, cousin of Mrs. A. C. Tidwell, was a guest last week in the Tidwell home southwest of town.

## CottonQuiz



## 22 Driving Licenses Suspended in Jones County During 1959

Total of 22 drivers' licenses of operators of motor vehicles in Jones County were suspended and denied during 1959, according to tabulations just released by the Texas Department of Public Safety to The Hamlin Herald.

The suspensions and denials were based on arrests and convictions of traffic violations in the area during the 12-month period ending December 31. The actions were taken in connection with the DPS campaigns of driver improvement and control.

Of the 22 suspensions in Jones County 12 were denials and 10 were suspensions. Actions involved were: Driving while intoxicated, 15; driving while license was suspended, two; habitual violator, three; incapable, one; and automatic suspension offense in other state, one.

A salesman who can propose nothing better is just a nuisance.

## Comet, New Car by Ford, to Be Ready For Market Soon

The Comet, newest automobile of Ford Motor Company, brings high styling to the economy car field at a price lower than the "popular three."

The new car, with longer wheelbase and smoother ride than other smaller cars, still is two to three feet shorter than standard size cars. It will go on sale at all Mercury-Comet dealerships on March 17. Connally Ford Sales in Hamlin will stock the car.

"Although this date is six weeks away, dealer orders for the Comet already indicate a remarkably strong demand for our new car," said Ben D. Mills, Ford Motor Company vice president and general manager of Lincoln-Mercury Division.

Comet production will begin at the Lorain, Ohio, plant February 15, and we have additional capacity at several other assembly plants if needed," he said.

Comet styling eliminates the stark utility car look. Its lines are smart, graceful and flowing. It is compact, but not stubby. The Comet is designed to suit the needs of a one-car family and seats six comfortably. Although it is priced with the new smaller cars, it has a longer wheelbase for a better ride, plus vacation size luggage capacity.

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## When Do We Get Old?

Physiologists tell us that in all mammals, except man, the period of life is five times the period of growth. A dog gets its full growth in two years, and lives ten; a horse in five years, and lives twenty-five. On this basis a man should live from one hundred to one hundred and fifty years.

But William James, the eminent psychologist, said that most men are "old fogies" at twenty-five. It is true that most men at twenty-five are satisfied with their jobs. They have accumulated the little stock of prejudices that they call "principles," and close their mind to new ideas. They have ceased to grow.

When a man ceases to grow, no matter what the years, then and there he begins to be old.

But the really great men never cease to grow. Bismark, who died at eighty-three, did his greatest work after he was seventy. Titian, the celebrated painter, lived to be ninety-nine, painting right up to the end. Goethe passed on at eighty-three and finished his "Faust" only a few years earlier. Gladstone took up a new language when he was seventy. Laplace, the astronomer, was still at work when death caught up with him at seventy-eight. He passed on crying, "What we know is nothing; what we do not know is immense."

These men, and thousands like them, died young. They were still unsatisfied, still growing.—Suggested by editorial by Bruce Barton.

## Nuggets of Thought

There sometimes wants only a stroke of fortune to discover numberless latent good or bad qualities, which would otherwise have been eternally concealed; as words written with a certain liquor appear only when applied to the fire.—Greville.

We look into the long avenue of the future and see the good there is for each one of us to do, when we realize after all what a beautiful thing it is to work, and live, and be happy.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

Idleness is emptiness; the tree in which the sap is stagnant, remains fruitless.—Bailou.

A man's good breeding is the best security against another's bad manners.—Chesterfield.

Oh, it is excellent to have a giant's strength; but it is tyrannous to use it like a giant.—Shakespeare.

Talent for talent's sake is a bauble and a show. Talent working with joy in the cause of universal truth lifts the possessor to new power as a benefactor.—Emerson.

The greatest truths are the simplest; and so are the greatest men.—Hare.

The happiness of life is made up of minute fractions—the little, soon forgotten charities of a kiss or a smile, a kind look, a heart-felt compliment, and the countless infinitesimals of pleasurable and genial feeling.—Coleridge.

## Tasks for Others

All who run after the gilded chariot of joy get covered with dust, and are left limping along the road quite bereft of that degree of comfort with which they started on the mad race.

Yet sometimes when the quest for one's own happiness is quite out of mind, when one is absorbed in making someone else happy, down like a bird from the highest heavens comes joy, and settles as if at home, in the heart that has forgotten itself.

Happiness is never touched by the hand that reaches out for it too eagerly. It flies into some hand open to give, not stretched out to receive.

How often does the long anticipated feast turn out to be a famine, gaiety having fled from the house overborne by much ponderous preparation.

He who seeks happiness for its own sake shall lose it, and he who loses happiness for another's sake shall find it, even in the hour when he thinks it is gone from him forever, and is content to have it so.

## Editorial of the Week

### SOVIET ROCKETRY IN THE PACIFIC

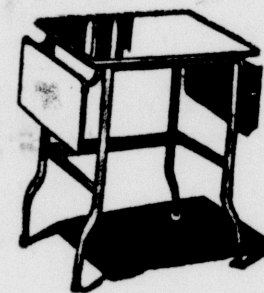
By radio broadcasts and published memoranda in the next several days the Navy Hydrographic Office and agencies of other governments presumably will be warning all types of craft to stay clear during the next month of an area about 280 miles long and 160 miles wide in the Pacific Ocean, 1,110 miles southwest of Hawaii.

This is at the request of the Soviet Union, whose experts will be launching powerful rockets to fall in that area in tests just announced from Moscow. There is some speculation as to why the announcement should have been made within a few hours after President Eisenhower disclosed to Congress that 14 successful flights had been made by Atlas intercontinental missiles.

The precise timing undoubtedly was a matter of diplomatic and propaganda calculation, but there seems little reason to doubt that Soviet tests are part of a space exploration program which would have come into operation at about this time in any event.

Nor is there any basis for American objection to this use of an area in which there are no islands, important shipping lanes or major fishing grounds. The United States has set a precedent of such use of international waters by atomic tests in the Western Pacific and by directing its Cape Canaveral missile range into the South Atlantic. The principal point to be drawn from the event is the challenge to America to keep up in the space race.—The Christian Science Monitor.

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# STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights by Vern Sanford

Austin.—Here we go again! It seems as if a segment of Texas history is repeating itself as the state and numerous gas companies go to court to decide the constitutionality of a new gas tax. Some 80 gas companies have filed suit asking the court to declare invalid the natural gas severance tax passed by the Legislature last summer. Six of the suits are set for trial beginning February 15.

They will be tried in the same Austin district court in which the contest over the old gas gathering tax was begun. This tax law was passed by the Legislature in 1951 and eventually declared unconstitutional by the U. S. Supreme Court.

Gas companies are attacking the new severance tax on much the same grounds they did the gathering tax. They contend it is in violation of interstate commerce laws.

Passage of the severance tax came after one of the hardest battles of the stormy six-month session. It places a 1.5 per cent levy on the pipelines on the grounds that they benefit from the taking out of the gas.

Revenue wise, the gas tax represents a rather modest portion of the overall tax program passed in 1959. It was estimated it would bring in about \$15,000,000 of an overall \$185,000,000.

**Short Ballot.**—In the 12 races for state-wide office this year, there will be only 22 candidates. Six state officials are seeking reelection unopposed.

Some years ago, there were almost as many candidates in the governor's race alone as there are now for all the state-wide offices. In those days the filing fee was only \$100. Today's price is killing off the competition.

Filing fees today are five per cent of annual salary, which runs \$1,250 for Governor, \$1,125 for U. S. senator, \$600 for lieutenant governor, etc.

**Watch That "Flu."**—If you're one of those lucky Texans who hasn't been hit yet by influenza, State Health Commissioner J. E. Peavy has advice for you: "Don't take any chances!"

In several cities the flu has reached epidemic proportions. City of Dallas has reported the highest flu caused death toll since the 1918 siege.

Dr. Peavy said flu ordinarily lasts only three to five days, but must be taken seriously because of the possibility of complications such as pneumonia.

He advised against self treatment and urged victims to go to bed and call a doctor at the outset.

**P-TA Endorses Session.**—Some 85 per cent of local Parent-Teacher Association leaders in Texas favor a special session to raise teachers' salaries, according to a report made to Governor Price Daniel.

Mrs. T. W. Whaley of Kosse, president of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, told the

governor that executive committee members of 563 P-TA units were polled.

She said 8,155 favored a special session, 847 were undecided, and 563 were against it. There were no suggestions as to how to pay the bill.

Governor Daniel has held off calling a special session pending the development of enough public and legislative support to carry it through to success.

**Poll Tax Assailed.**—Next Texas Legislature may be called upon to vote on whether the U. S. constitution should be amended to outlaw the poll tax.

U. S. Senate has voted out a proposed amendment to void the tax. It goes next to the House, which has passed such a measure five times before.

If the House passes it, it will then have to be ratified within seven years by the legislatures of three-fourths of the state.

Texas is one of five states which still have a poll tax. Others are Virginia, Mississippi, Alabama and Arkansas.

**License Plates on Sale.**—Texas drivers have from now until midnight April 1 to get new license plates for their cars.

State Highway Engineer DeWitt C. Greer predicts that nearly 3,000,000 cars will be registered this year. This adds up to some long lines April 1 unless a lot of people buy early.

Greer emphasized the importance of each vehicle owner's registering his car or truck in his home county. When he goes to register each owner should take his certificate of title and last year's registration receipt.

Penalty for an improper registration is \$200.

This year's license plates are black with white letters.

**City-County Study.**—Texas Commission on City and County Government plans to send a questionnaire to city and county officials and other interested persons on the possibility of combining some city and county functions.

Aim, according to the commission, would not be to combine city and county governments, but to find ways to economize by eliminating duplicating services.

Seventeen Texas counties, it was pointed out, have 55 per cent of the state's population. It is in these areas that city and county problems tend to overlap.

**Price Fixing Charged.**—Attorney General Will Wilson has charged a Wisconsin manufacturer of drafting equipment with fixing the prices of goods sold to the state.

Suit was filed in an Austin district court against the Hamilton Manufacturing Company of Two Rivers, Wisconsin.

Wilson contends the company, through "suggestions" to its distributors, set the prices on more than 200 different items totaling \$100,000.

Weddings announcement printed promptly by The Herald.

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## KERRY DRAKE

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THERE'S A QUESTION ABOUT THE CAUSE OF DEATH, MR. DRAKE!

NOTICE THE ANGRY RED OF HER SKIN! ...AND THAT BROAD AREA HERE LOOKS REMARKABLY LIKE A ROENTGENOLOGICAL LESION!

IN LAYMAN'S TERMINOLOGY ...AN X-RAY BURN!

### Hamlin Men Speak As Aspermont Meet

Special guests at the Tuesday noon meeting of the Aspermont Luncheon Club were Orville D. Roland, manager of the Hamlin Board of Community Development, and Willard Jones, BCD director and publisher of The Herald.

The Hamlin men were invited to speak to the Aspermont group on organization of a Chamber of Commerce for the neighbor city. They related benefits of such an organization and methods of formation of a CC.

All kinds pencils at The Herald.

### Freight Carloadings For Santa Fe Climb

Freight carloadings for the Santa Fe Railway System for the week ending January 30, 1960, were 23,305 compared with 22,750 for the same week a year ago, reflecting a gain. Cars received from connections totaled 11,541 compared with 12,181 for the same week a year ago.

Total cars moved were 34,846 compared with 34,931 for the same week a year ago. Santa Fe handled a total of 32,501 cars in the preceding week this year.

Rubber stamps made to order by The Herald. Phone 241.

### Day-Night Laundry Capacity Increased

Capacity of the Day and Night Laundry on Southeast Avenue A is being practically doubled with additional construction that is being completed this week, according to Guy Wilder, manager.

Several additional automatic washing machines, more dryers and other equipment is being added in the expansion program, and rest rooms also are being installed.

Wilder also announces that an attendant will be at the laundry in the daytime to offer assistance to patrons.

Stencils of all kinds at Herald.

### CRAZY MIXED UP KID.

Little Oscar's school teacher went to visit his parents. Oscar answered the doorbell.

"Are your mother and father in?" she asked.

"They was in, but they is out."

"Where is your grammar?"

"She's upstairs taking a bath."

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### VISITING RELATIVES.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilcox and Little Evans of Wichita Falls are visiting this week with Grandmother Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Perkins, Violet Mullin and other relatives in the community.

### HERE FROM ARIZONA.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gillis of Prescott, Arizona, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mabery and other relatives.

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<b>SCAMPER</b> Liquid Detergent...Perfect for Washing Dishes. 27-Oz. Can	<b>49¢</b>
<b>WHITE MAGIC ALL PURPOSE CLEANER</b> Liquid—Cleans Fast, Yet Gentle. Can't harm woodwork or floors. 15-Oz. Bottle	<b>29¢</b>
	<b>28-Oz. Bottle 49¢</b>

**COFFEE** Maxwell House...All Grinds. Good to the Last Drop! 1-Lb. Can **69¢**

**CORN MEAL** Yellow...Kitchen Craft...Perfect for Cornbread or Muffins. 5-Lb. Bag **29¢**

**GOLDEN CORN** Highway Whole Kernels of Delicious Goodness. 2-12-Oz. Cans **25¢**

**WHITE HOMINY** Highway...Perfect Complement to All Pork Dishes. 4-No. 300 Cans **27¢**

**STRAWBERRIES** Bellair Frozen...Sliced Berries. Perfect for Shortcakes. 3-16-Oz. Pkgs. **\$1.00**

**CRISP, FRESH PRODUCE!**

**ROME APPLES** All-Purpose Apple. Delicious for Pies. Perfect for Baking. Lb. **12¢**

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**Tomatoes** Firm, Ripe. Perfect for Slicing. Lb. **19¢**

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**AVOCADOS** Perfect Tastes When Added to Salads. 4-Per **29¢**

**Safeway Thick Sliced BACON** Delicious Breakfast Treat. Makes Wonderful Bacon-Tomato Sandwiches. These Thick Slices Retain the Perfect Flavor of the Wonderful Smoked Bacon. 2-Lb. Pkg. **69¢**

**CHICKEN HENS** U.S.D.A. Inspected for Wholeness. 3 1/2 in 6-1/2 Average. Lb. **39¢**

**VEAL CUTLETS** Serve Veal Cutlets Tonight! Delicious with French Potatoes. Lb. **69¢**

**Safeway Franks** All Meat. Or Anjou's Star Brand. So Easy to Serve. 1-Lb. Pkg. **49¢**

**WOLF TAMALES** Perfect Treat on a Cold Winter Evening. No. 300 Can **25¢**

**FRITO CHILI** With Beans...Tasty Topping Served with Tamales. 3-No. 300 Cans **\$1.00**

**PORK & BEANS** Van Camp...Full of Wonderful Flavor. 2-No. 300 Cans **25¢**

**HIGHWAY CATSUP** Wonderful Blend of Tomatoes and Spices. 2-16-Oz. Bottles **29¢**

**Tomato Juice** Del Monte...Low in Calories and High in Nutrition. 46-Oz. Can **29¢**

**KLEENEX TISSUE** Facial Tissue...Assorted Colors. 2-400-Box Boxes **49¢**

**WHOLE BEETS** Town House...Fancy. Delight the Whole Family with Sautéed Beets. No. 203 Can **10¢**

**SPICED PEACHES** Mamet Whole...Luscious Peaches with Just the Right Spice. No. 255 Can **19¢**

**DILL PICKLES** Zippy. Whole Dills. Ideal for the Buffet Dish. 2-22-Oz. Jars **49¢**

**THICK, JUICY STRIPS OF BACON CALL FOR...**

**Grade 'A' Eggs** Breakfast Grade. Grade "A" Quality Large Size. Doz. **41¢**

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**Bakery Special of the Week** Regular 25c Value.

**19¢** **SKYLARK BALLERINA BREAD**

**Iced Raisin Bread** 14c 27¢

**White Bread Mrs. Wright's** 24c

**Deviled Ham** Underwood...Meat for Sandwiches. 4-1/2-Oz. Cans **35¢**

**Starkest Tuna** Chard Style...Ideal for Salads. 4-1/2-Oz. Cans **31¢**

**Chunk Tuna** Chicken of Seafood Green Label. 4-1/2-Oz. Cans **31¢**

**Meat Dinners** Bonquet...Frozen. Chicken, Beef or Turkey. 11-Oz. Pkg. **55¢**

**Tomato Sauce** Del Monte...Made from Selected Tomatoes. 3-8-Oz. Cans **29¢**

**Sugarine** Unsalted Sweetener. In Granulated. 4-Oz. Bkts. **65¢**

**White Karo Syrup** Red Label. 15-1/2-Lb. Bottle **25¢**

**Instant Coffee** Maxwell House...Full Flavored. 4-Oz. Jar **1.07**

**Vanilla Wafers** Nabisco...A Treat Anytime! 12-Box **33¢**

**Potato Chips** Montona...Always Fresh! 7-Oz. Bag **39¢**

**U. S. Good Grade Calf**

**Sirloin Steak** U.S.D.A. Good Grade Calf. Lb. **85¢**

**Round Steak** U.S.D.A. Good Grade Calf. Lb. **89¢**

**T-Bone Steak** U.S.D.A. Good Grade Calf. Lb. **95¢**

**BROWN & SERVE ROLLS** Skylark, Twin Rolls. (Reg. 23c) 12-Oz. Pkg. **21¢**

**Pink Praise** Delicious Soap with Cold Cream. 2-Reg. 29¢

**Fluffy All** Baking Fluffy Doughnut. (No Oil Labels) 11-Oz. Pkg. **29¢**

**Breeze** Outgoing...Delightfully Clean Odor. 11-Oz. Pkg. **33¢**

**Lux Liquid** Detergent...Mild and Gentle...No Harsh Soaps. 11-Oz. Pkg. **37¢**

**Paper Towels** Moisture...Soft and Absorbent. 2-Box **37¢**

**Toilet Tissue** Moisture...Soft and Absorbent. 4-Pkgs. **37¢**

**Wax Paper** Cut-Rite...Double Waxed. 12-1/2-Box **27¢**

**Wax Paper** Kitchen Cloth. 100-Box **21¢**

**Aluminum Foil** Reynolds. 25-1/2-Box **33¢**

**Vigo Dog Food** Meat Label. A Beef Product. 2-Lb. Can **21¢**



# The Herald's Page of Sports

## Stamford Bops Pied Pipers To Gain Tie in District Race

### Play-Off Will Be Needed to Decide District Winner

Invading the Stamford Bulldogs' sacred ballfield Tuesday night with a perfect District 6-AA basketball record, Coach Neil Laminack's Pied Pipers took a resounding 56 to 40 beating that tied the conference race. The tie will necessitate a two-out-of-three game playoff to determine the district winner.

The Pied Pipers previously had defeated the Bulldogs twice, once in an early season tournament and two weeks ago in district play.

Picked at opening of the season to take the district cage title, the Pipers' defeat was a surprise to area fans. The game left Stamford and Hamlin with records of six wins and one loss each.

Only two more games are in the conference slate, both the Bulldogs and Pied Pipers participating in bouts Friday night that are not scheduled to change the victory picture of either team. Hamlin plays Haskell at Hamlin and Stamford goes to Anson.

David Wade led the scoring for Hamlin with 14 points. Robert Brandon looped 13 and Cecil Robinson 11 marks. High pointer for Stamford was Wayne Bates with 17. Cotton Thompson and Wendell Robinson each sank 11, and Wayne Reimer accounted for 10.

Hamlin started off the tilt in the lead, but the first quarter ended 8 to 7 in favor of Stamford. At the half the score was 21 to 17, and the Bulldogs had pushed their advantage to 41 to 28 at the third quarter whistle.

Always do right. This will gratify some people, and will astonish the rest.

### DISTRICT 6-AA STANDINGS

Hamlin's Pied Pipers had a monkey wrench thrown into their march toward the District 6-AA basketball title Tuesday night by a loss to the Stamford Bulldogs that also knotted the standings. After the games of the past week the standings looked like this:

Teams—	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Hamlin	7	6	1	.856
Stamford	7	6	1	.856
Anson	7	3	4	.427
Haskell	7	3	4	.427
Seymour	8	0	8	.000

#### Results Last Week.

Hamlin 65, Anson 52.  
Stamford 62, Seymour 45.  
Haskell 59, Seymour 36.  
Stamford 56, Hamlin 40.

Where They Play Friday.  
Haskell at Hamlin.  
Stamford at Anson.

### B String Cagers Drop Friday Tilt to Anson

Hamlin High School's B string of basketball tossers played second fiddle last Friday night to the Anson B's on the Anson gym court, going down 49 to 57 before a staunch bunch of cagers.

Although Mac Cade, lanky six foot eight-inch transfer from the North Side High School of Fort Worth, tossed in 22 points for Hamlin to lead the scoring, the Anson lads combined for more points than the junior Pipers. Bing Richardson hit 16 tallies for Anson.

IF YOU ARE THE PROUD OWNER OF A 4 EYED, 2 HORNED, PINK & PURPLE ETHYL EATER, WHEN YOU CAN OWN A STUDEBAKER-LARK AT 30 MPG-SEE BUJE-STAMFORD.

### Hamlin B Teams Meet in Finals of Cage Tournament

The Herald editor has been writing up sport tsevents for some humpteen years—but he never did a story before in which he knew definitely that a certain town would run away with the top trophy before the final game of a tournament was played. But lots of odd things can happen in Hamlin!

In fact, Hamlin won both the first and second place trophies of their own B team invitational basketball tournament staged last week-end in Hamlin High School gymnasium. Two HHS B teams were entered, and both of them went to the finals.

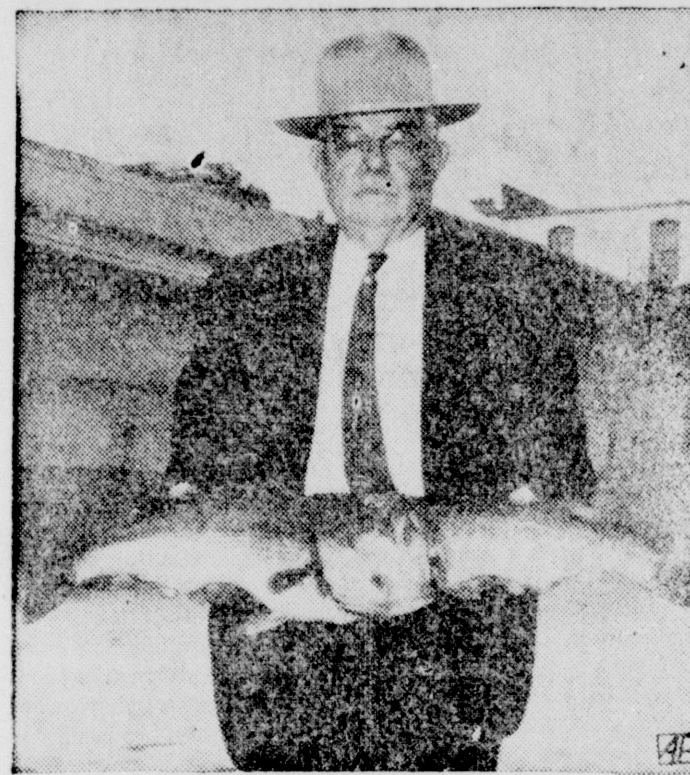
In first rounds played Thursday Anson B squad defeated the Seymour crew 41 to 20; Hamlin No. 2 team beat Hobbs 40 to 31; Hamlin No. 1 team drubbed the Stamford boys 53 to 39; and Colorado City thumped Haskell 34 to 25.

In the second round matches, Hamlin's No. 2 squad walloped Anson 48 to 44; and Hamlin No. 1 squad downed Colorado City 41 to 39. In the Hamlin-Anson tilt the little Hamlin boys defeated the county seat lads who twice had trimmed the No. 1 squad. Van Newberry played a superb game, looping 14 points, and Tommy Sewell made 13 marks. In the Hamlin-Colorado City bout Mack Cade dropped in 30 points.

In the finals tilt the No. 1 crew nosed out the smaller boys 38 to 37 in the final minutes of play.

Colorado City defeated Anson 68 to 51 for third place.

In the consolation bracket Haskell trimmed Hobbs 39 to 19. Stamford was rated seventh by its 48 to 27 defeat of Seymour.



**SOMETHING FISHY**—Sid Baxter, Texarkana druggist, holds these two bass he found floating on a private lake. The bigger bass tried to swallow the smaller. Together they weighed 11 pounds.

## OUTDOORS IN TEXAS

By Vern Sanford.

Want to catch big bass the year round? Want to catch them when other fellows are going home empty-handed?

Here are some tips, relayed to us by experts, that may help you fill out your stringer with whoppers:

The average black bass fisherman gets his greatest thrill out of snagging a big black on a top-water lure.

Chances are he's going to catch some big bass on those surface plugs, all right. However, it will be mostly luck, rather than skill, unless he has made some kind of study of the bass and its feeding habits.

One is that the bass must follow the minnows, small bream, shad and other food he eats. When the water temperature gets uncomfortable for these little fish down deep, they come to the top—so do the bass, naturally, in their search for food.

Also in relation to food, the bass will come to the surface when there is a chance for him to catch baby birds that fall out of nests, insect on top of the water, frogs, mice and whatever else is available that suits his fancy.

Otherwise, the large-mouth will seek shallow water, six to 10 feet deep, only in spawning season, which might last for several weeks in the spring.

Now, we've accounted for maybe five per cent of the time when the big bass are within 10 feet of the surface. The rest of the time they're deeper, and if the fisherman wants to be successful, he's got to get down where they are. How deep?

Depends on the size bass you want. Conditions vary, of course, but as a general rule, you might say that in a suitable hole, there will be a school of small ones maybe 15 feet down. At 20 feet there would be a school of one and a half and two pounders. Go down to 25 feet and you'll find the three-pound fish. The lunkers are there—at 30 to 40 feet.

If a bass could select his own habitat, he would look for a place along a ledge, where the water drops off to 40 feet, and where there are tall weeds growing all the way to the bottom. He has a place to come up and feed along the bank where the minnows are, but most of the time he stays down, deep down, in his green weedy home.

So he's 30 feet down, and you're fishing with surface lures, and you get nothing.

You change to a "deep diving" lure, maybe one that has a spoon bill on the front to make it dig into the water while being retrieved. Well, that lure reaches a depth of 10 or 12 feet for a brief bit of its journey, but at no time does it get anywhere close to the big ones.

Okay, so they're deep, are they? You tie on a sinking lure, cast it out and give it time enough to reach the bottom. Then you be-

gin retrieving. And nothing happens. You begin to wonder what's the trouble. You can think of lots of reasons, most likely, but the real one probably is this:

Even when you used that sinking lure, you didn't give it time enough to get really deep. It seemed like a long time, but you were a little impatient. And you thought about losing a lure along the rocky, weedy, brushy bottom, so you started reeling in too fast.

You remember what the experts told you about fishing with surface lures? Cast one over by an old stump and let it sit until all the ripples have disappeared. Then give it a very light twitch and forget about it for awhile. Work it slow. The same principle applies in deep water, and the experts know it. You must use the right technique.

Toss a good lure—black jig, black eel, spoon with a chunk, lead-headed plastic worm—into good bass water and leave it alone until you get slack in your line, meaning that the lure is really and truly on the bottom. Now wait a while. If the bass is nearby, he'll be looking at the thing, speculatively or angrily or hungrily.

Give him time to speculate and get madder or hungrier. Give him lots of time. Then imagine the way a shad moves when he's just ambling along the bottom.

### Pied Piper Cagers Make It 21 Wins by Anson 65-52 Score

Continuing their victory march toward the basketball title of District 6-AA, the Hamlin High School Pied Pipers last Friday downed the Anson Tigers by a 65 to 52 count.

After stiff opposition by the Anson boys in the first quarter, when the score was tied three times, the Pipers took the lead and held it the balance of the game. Score at the end of the first period was 6 to 13; at the half 32 to 21; at the third period 48 to 32; and the final margin was 13 points at the whistle.

David Wade dropped in 19 tallies for Coach Neil Laminack's Pied Piper crew. Gerald McCannies looped 13, Stanley Austin had 12, and Cecil Robinson made 11.

At one time in the fourth period the HHS lads were ahead by 23 points, when two key players were removed on account of fouls.

The Friday victory gave Hamlin a season record of 21 wins in five losses (no losses in district play). Anson had a record of 17 victories and nine defeats.

### District 15-B Teams to Play Hobbs Tourney

With last week's basketball games the District 15-B double round robin play of the regular season was completed. Highland made a perfect record with 10 victories. Trent, with eight wins and two losses, was second. McCaulley and Blackwell were tied for third place with five wins and five losses. Hobbs and Divide wound up in the cellar spot with one victory and nine losses each.

This week-end a district tournament will be conducted at Hobbs beginning this (Thursday) afternoon and continuing through Saturday night.

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### District Race Thrown into Tie as Last Games Scheduled for This Week-End

Instead of resolving the District 6-AA basketball race into a winner as the season neared a close Friday night, games of the past week—and especially that Tuesday night affair at Stamford when the league leading Pied Pipers went down before a hard fighting Stamford Bulldog quintet—things still looked like they would be unsettled even after the Friday tilts.

In play last Friday night Hamlin continued to roll toward the conference crown with a 65 to 52 victory over the Anson Tigers. David Wade was high pointer for Hamlin and the game with 19 tallies. Gerald McCannies made 13, Stanley Austin 12, and Cecil Robinson 11. Roy Barber led the scoring for Anson with 14, followed by Charles Barth with 10.

Stamford's Bulldogs trimmed the hapless Seymour Panthers by a 62 to 45 count Friday night on the Seymour court. Stamford guard Bill Thompson was leading scorer for Stamford with 26 tallies.

Wayne Bates and Wendell Robinson each made 12. Glenn Glenhorn was Seymour's high point with 14, followed by Joe Chandler with 12 marks.

Haskell's Indians took a 59-36 victory over the Seymour crew Tuesday night at Haskell to end Seymour's season without a win. Haskell has a three win, four loss record, and finish the season at Hamlin Friday night. Gary Anthony, with 22 points, was leading scorer for Haskell, and Bob Battles made 12 for Seymour.

Tuesday night's heart breaking loss of the Pied Pipers to the Stamford Bulldogs, left Hamlin with a 21 win, six loss record for the season. A play-off with the Bulldogs after regular loop play now looms. Wayne Bates was high pointer for Stamford with 17, while Cotton Thompson and Wendell Robinson each made 11 marks. David Wade was high for Hamlin with 14 and Robert Brandon turned in 13 and Cecil Robinson 11.

### High School Girls Lose Two Games in H-SU Tourney Last Week

Hamlin High School girl cagers last week-end took a one-two count to bow out of competition in the Central West Texas invitational basketball tournament at Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene.

Coach Ed Farmer's Piperettes dropped their first round game Thursday afternoon to the frisky Duncanville girls by a 48 to 34 score. Jeannette Jenkins and Zoan Winegart accounted for all 34 of Hamlin's points, each looping 17 marks.

In the second round game for consolation honors, the Piperettes lost to the Baird girls 45 to 31.

The man who moved the mountain began by carrying away small stones.—Anonymous.

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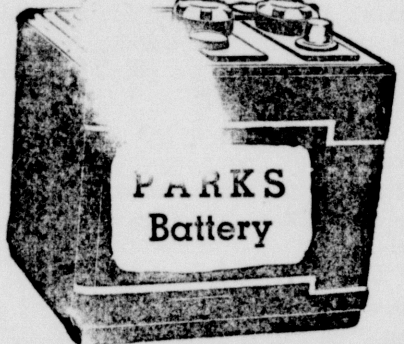
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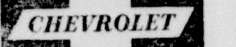
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## Three Incumbents Consent to Run for Trustee Again

Three incumbent members of the board of education of Hamlin Independent School District this week agreed to permit their names to be placed on the forthcoming school trustees ballot for reelection. These three whose terms expire in April are Dr. M. L. Smith, Bill Harbert and Eddie Jay.

Election to name the three trustees for the ensuing two years was officially called for April 2 at the board of education in its regular meeting Monday evening at the school.

An official of the board pointed out that any property owner taxpayer of the school district may file his name for a place on the ballot at any time before

## Hamlin B Crew Loses to Stamford 39 to 40

Hamlin High School's B squad lost by one point to the Stamford B Tuesday night in a hard fought tussle on the Stamford court. The count was 40 to 39.

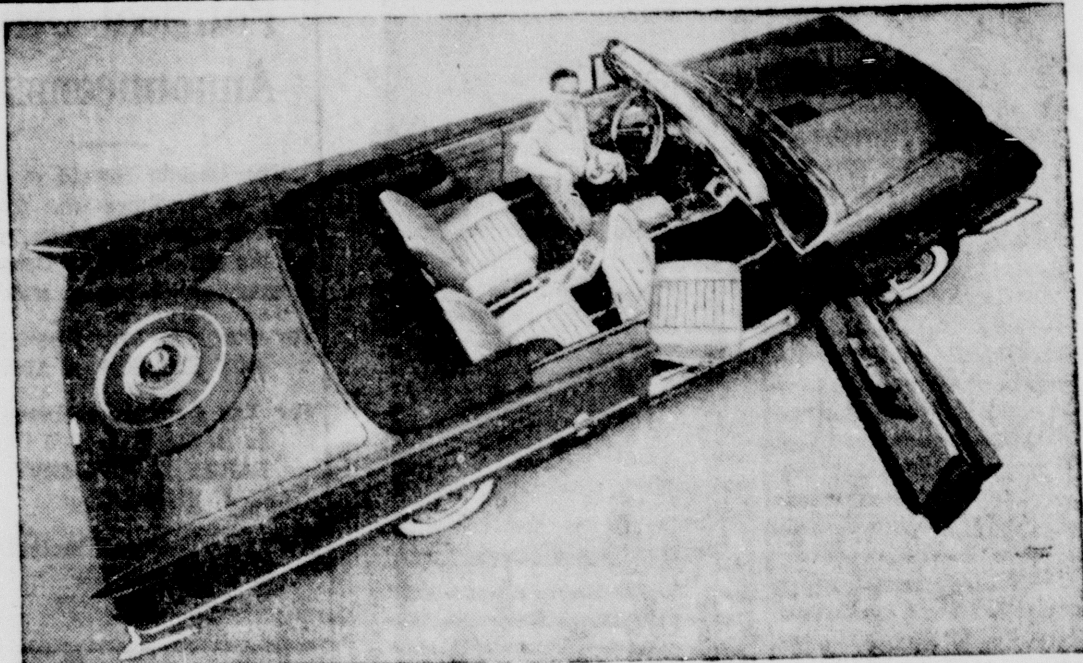
Jerry Moritz went wild to tally 23 points for the victors. Mac Cade, lanky Hamlin center, made 11 points for Hamlin to lead.

In Russia they have a TV in every hotel room—only it watches you.

Some people never hit the mark because they never pull the trigger.

Thursday, March 3 with Richard Young Jr., secretary of the board.

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## Hill-Billy Comedy Selected by HHS Junior Class Group

"A-Feudin' Over Yonder," a hill-billy comedy in three acts, has been selected by members of the junior class of Hamlin High School as their annual play. Date for the presentation has not been set.

The play is written by Le Roma Greth and published by the Hever Publishing Company of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Characters for the play were selected by a panel of teachers consisting of Mrs. Joe W. Carter, and Dora Mitchell. Chosen were: Janice Richardson as Rosebell Fry, Jennie Law as Emmy Fry, Jorene Hudspeth as Maw Fry, Sarah Snapp as Mountain Maggie, Jimmy Shivers as Izzie Fry, Montie Wade as Aunt Harry Hornhonger, Cliff Drummond as Clem Fry, Darla Harkey as Becky Mae Hornhonger, Bob Johnson as Willy Hornhonger, Peachy Hodnett as Pappy Popoff, Gary Cooper as Zeke Popoff, Ray Johnson as travelin' preacher, Charlene Pendley as Lanita Mallory, and Beth Christian as wedding guest. Ann Rabjohn is student director, and Vic Riggs is assistant.

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## Water Resources Development Vital To U.S. Economy

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The Texas senator, in a weekly radio broadcast beamed at his home state constituents, told his listeners:

"Such development is a solid investment in America's future. It is the type of investment that pays continuing dividends—by the day, by the month and by the year—to our nation and everyone in it."

Johnson noted that the explosive increase in population, and the ever increasing per capita consumption of water, present a "critical problem and an inspiring challenge to our economists and our engineers."

He quoted figures showing that, while the nation's population doubled between 1900 and 1950, the total consumption of water quadrupled.

Demand for water, he said, continues to rise.

Studies based on 1950 levels of water consumption indicate that rate will be doubled by 1975.

The situation, he said, calls for far sighted planning, and added: "There is much to be done. The time is short. The need is great. As responsible Americans we need get on with the job."

It may be harder to live through 1960 than it was through 1959, since it is one day longer.

A whip for the horse, a bridle for the ass, and a rod for the fool's back.—Proverbs 26.

Humor is a rare gift. If you can laugh at the world and at yourself, you are lucky.

Watch your kids at the beach because they have no fear of the water unless it's soapy.



**RETIREES**—Dr. A. Philo Howard (above), major figure in Houston medical circles for more than half a century, has retired. The 81-year-old physician, who was one of the founders of the city's first diagnostic clinics, chief consulting surgeon for several railroads, one-time chief of staff of Hermann Hospital and professor at Baylor University College of Medicine, began his practice in 1901 and brought him to Houston in 1907.

## Anson Methodist Preacher Present Program for Lions

Methodist preacher from Anson, Rev. Billy Porterfield, put on a one-man show at the Tuesday noon luncheon meeting of Hamlin Lions Club at the oil mill guest house as the program feature.

There was only one unexcused absence of member at the meeting, reports Secretary Ed Croan.

Introduced by a fellow Methodist minister, Rev. Edmund W. Robb of the Hamlin First Methodist Church, Porterfield presented a magic act that revealed new things about Ted Russell and some other things. He added to his entertainment feature by presenting numbers of the steel guitar. Porterfield is pastor of the Anson First Methodist Church.

Directors of the Lions Club approved a benefit basketball game between a Lions Club team and the Redheads, women's professional basketball aggregation, to be set for the latter part of February. Members observed that it would probably be necessary to recruit about 30 substitutes from among eagles of the city.

Besides the program principal and Rev. Robb, another guest at the Tuesday luncheon was Joe Estes of Abilene.

## Pension Eligibility of Widows and Children of Veterans Changed

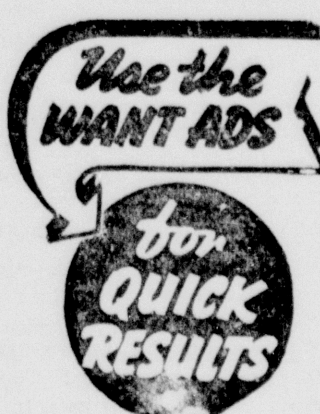
Pension eligibility requirements based on the war service of a veteran become alike for widows and children of World Wars I and II and the Korean conflict after June 30, 1960, the Veterans Administration pointed out this week in a release to The Herald.

The VA explained that at the present time pensions are granted to widows and children of World War II and the Korean conflict only if the veteran had a definitely ascertainable service connected disability at the time of his death.

No such restriction is at present placed on the widows of children of deceased World War I veterans.

The new pension law, going into effect July 1, 1960, removes this restriction and places widows and orphans of World War II and the Korean conflict on the same basis as World War I dependents in this regard, the VA said.

This "equalization clause" of the new pension system is expected to add approximately 200,000 widows and orphans to the pension rolls, the VA estimates.



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## Advance Report Forms Will Be Sent to Area People for Forthcoming Census

Mechanics of the forthcoming population census continues to be shaped up in the Hamlin territory.

Establishment of a district office for the census of population and housing at 174 Cypress Street in Abilene has been announced by Director James W. Stroud of the Census Bureau's regional office at Dallas.

Max V. Mescholder of Abilene last week was announced as supervisor of the district office. He will direct a force of 19 crew leaders and 284 census takers in the following counties: Callahan, Comanche, Eastland, Erath, Fisher, Hamilton, Jones, Nolan, Parker,

## R. L. McClung Slated As Official at State Cooperative Meeting

R. L. McClung, manager of the Midwest Cooperative Oil Mill of Hamlin, will act as chairman of a special commodity group meeting at sessions of the forthcoming eighth annual joint cooperative meeting in Texas.

According to Bruno E. Schroeder, executive secretary, advance registrations indicate that more than 800 members and stockholders of Texas Federation of Cooperatives, the Texas Cooperative Ginners Association and Houston Bank for Cooperatives will converge on Austin February 22 and 23 for the joint session.

Among featured speakers at the convention will be Carroll P. Streeter, editor of the Farm Journal, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Dr. P. H. Stevens, director of research at the Farm Credit Banks of Wichita, Kansas; and Dr. Alvin B. Wooten, economist of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at College Station.

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## TEXANS IN WASHINGTON

By TEX EASLEY,  
Washington Correspondent

Washington.—West Texas Representative J. T. Rutherford, a World War II combat Marine, says the high cost of maintaining U. S. forces abroad could be greatly reduced without sacrificing security.

One way, he says, would be to keep Army and Air Force wives and children at home—a policy followed by the Marines with respect to its personnel overseas. Another would be to cut down or eliminate what he called "luxury fairs and teen-age canteens."

"We are required by our own people to keep up these costly practices," he said.

Although not a member of the House armed services committee, Rutherford, a resident of Odessa, keeps himself informed on the military situation. A captain in the Marine Reserves, he attends a weekly reserve meeting when Congress is in session. He recently returned from a two-week active duty tour which took him to American military bases in Germany, Spain and Turkey.

A consistent foe of foreign aid, Rutherford said he saw nothing abroad which would cause him to vote for such appropriations next year.

"That isn't my field of study, however," he continued. "I did not go into the expenditures of European countries with military aid money we appropriate. My tour was limited to operations at our own bases."

Acknowledging that the idea of requiring families of Army and Air Force personnel to remain at home would start protests, Rutherford suggested this objection could be partially met by reducing the length of time a man is required to serve abroad.

Under the present order of things, he said, location of a large Air Force or Army base abroad results also in creation of a virtual American city—housing for the families, schools for the children, hospital car and services found in any community.

He said still another reason for the high cost of maintaining American forces overseas is because "foreign powers where we locate



**WAITING**—House Speaker Sam Rayburn and Mrs. Christian Herter, wife of the secretary of state, sit side by side as they waited in Washington, D. C., for the start of ceremonies during which the Texas Democrat was honored with the Cordell Hull Award. Rayburn received the award, given annually in memory of the late Secretary of State Cordell Hull, in recognition of his work in advancing reciprocal trade among the nations. Herter presented the award.

## John P. Baker Sworn Into Regular Army at Base in Colorado

First Lieutenant John P. Baker Jr., son of Rev. and Mrs. John P. Baker Sr. of Skyway Baptist Church in Colorado Springs, recently was given a moral assist from his wife as he was sworn in as a regular Army officer by Lieutenant Colonel John J. Patrick, commander of Fort Carson, U. S. Army reception center.

A graduate of Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, Baker entered the Army from ROTC in December, 1957, and has just received his appointment as a regular Army officer.

Mrs. Baker is the former Frankie Andress, daughter of L. R. Andress of Route 1, McCauley. She lived with her parents last year while John served 13 months over in Korea. They have a one-year-old daughter, Dana Patrice. The Bakers live in Carson Quarters at Fort Carson, Colorado.

require us to spend much more than we should. We over-build and we take up lands in excess of our needs."

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## Mrs. C. A. Graham Passes Sunday in Hospital at Anson

Another pioneer, who had lived in hte area south of Hamlin for the past five years, Mrs. C. A. Graham, 81-year-old resident on Route 3, died at 3:50 p. m. Sunday in the Anson General Hospital, where she had been a patient for the last 12 days.

Funeral services were conducted at 2:00 p. m. Tuesday in Elliott's Chapel of Memories in Abilene. Rev. Billy Hendrix, pastor of the Crescent Heights Baptist Church in Abilene, officiated. Burial was in the Elmwood Memorial Park in Abilene.

Mrs. Graham and her husband entered the Anson hospital about two weeks ago for treatment of influenza. Her death was attributed to a heart attack. The husband was released from the hospital Sunday.

Mrs. Graham was born July 18, 1879, at Rome, Georgia. She came to Texas as a girl and was married to Charles W. Edwards. He preceded her in death. She was married to C. A. Graham in 1923 at Oklahoma City. The couple moved to Jones County from Oklahoma City in 1945. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Surviving the pioneer are her husband; one son, E. E. Edwards of Abilene; three daughters, Mrs. T. E. Kuykendall of Abilene, Mrs. C. L. Ray of Clyde and Mrs. Dewey Kirk of the Truby community; 11 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

## Ballinger Couple in Charge of City Cafe

David E. and Odessa Daniels are the new proprietors of the City Cafe since Thursday of last week. They purchased the business from Smylie Owens, who had been operating the place of business.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniels formerly lived at Ballinger. He also is an oil well driller. Most of the other personnel of the cafe will remain with the concern, Mrs. Daniels announces.

Home-made pastries will be a feature of the cafe, and the private dining room in the rear also will be reopened, Mrs. Daniels says.

A diplomat can tell you where to go and make you look forward to the trip.

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## Political Office Announcements

The Hamlin Herald is authorized to announce the following as candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on Saturday, May 7:

For Congress, 17th District.  
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For Tax Assessor-Collector:  
L. B. McNEIL  
LARRY L. HOLMES  
A. J. FRENCH

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:  
JOHNE AGNEW  
BURNIA REID JR.

Reckon meteorologists give feminine names to hurricanes because they're spinsters?

Women like to look in a mirror except when pulling away from a parking place.

## Attendance Total at Sunday Schools Less Than Previous Week

Total attendance at Sunday Schools of the 12 reporting Hamlin churches Sunday showed a decline of 75 from the previous week. The 1,259 total, however, was 72 more than the total a year ago.

Attendance, by churches, for February 7, January 31 and a year ago follows:

Churches—	Feb. 7	Jan. 31	Year Ago
Church of Christ.....	146	160	139
Ch. of Nazarene.....	62	61	79
Foursquare Gospel.....	51	60	54
First Baptist.....	451	438	376
No. Cen. Baptist.....	89	95	50
Sunset Baptist.....	48	54	51
Faith Methodist.....	50	55	50
Calvary Baptist.....	41	39	51
Assembly of God.....	40	46	20
Oak Gr. Col. Baptist.....	40	51	52
First Methodist.....	202	222	233
Mexican Baptist.....	39	48	32
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>1259</b>	<b>1334</b>	<b>1187</b>

## Singers Meet Sunday With Hanna Church

Singers of the area are reminded that the second Sunday singing of Jones County singers will be conducted Sunday, February 14, at Hanna Baptist Church, miles southeast of Hamlin.

W. F. Thompson of Anson, president of this singing group, Mrs. Woodrow Bagley is secretary. The songfest will get underway at 2:30 o'clock, and singers and song lovers are invited, say promoters of the affair.

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